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[illegible] OREGON FRAUD.

[illegible] of it by the Eastern Press [illegible] and Congress.

[illegible] ed by Democratic Senators.

[illegible] of Governor Grover's Action.

[illegible] Dec. 8.—The *Times'* Washington [illegible] One of the most notable deci- [illegible] raised by the action of the [illegible] Oregon was made by the Senate [illegible] This has several times [illegible] has not been clearly [illegible] the Democrats took on [illegible] and Vance were candi- [illegible] from North Carolina. Vance [illegible] reason of politica. disabili- [illegible] A large majority [illegible] voted for Vance. Abbot [illegible] vote. The resolu- [illegible] on privileges and elec- [illegible] that Abbot, not having re- [illegible] of the votes cast, was not [illegible] ayes and no vote [illegible] substituting for this [illegible] statement that Abbot [illegible] Thurman being a [illegible] made a long speech [illegible] questions involved. The [illegible] Abbot and 42 against [illegible] Senators being absent [illegible] for seating Abbot are the [illegible] carpet-baggers, and only [illegible] now members of the Sen- [illegible] every Republican [illegible] votes was not Abbot's right [illegible] the Democrats who also [illegible] are Bayard, Davis of [illegible] waite, Johnson, Kelly, [illegible] who are now mem- [illegible] No Democrat voted in [illegible] Thurman's speech was an [illegible] Democratic view, and in [illegible] the views entertained by [illegible] Republicans.

[illegible] that Senator Kelly, of [illegible] the above principles, [illegible] the trouble and fatigue of 600 [illegible] to return from San Fran- [illegible] the action of the Governor [illegible] In his opinion, [illegible] Presidential election. It [illegible] discussion in the Senate [illegible] Democrats will not be drawn [illegible] the Oregon case.

[illegible] William says in re- [illegible] Grover that it was in [illegible] statutes of Oregon; that no [illegible] clearly a breach [illegible] statutes are entirely plain [illegible] Secretary of State is to [illegible] number of votes cast and he [illegible] authority. The Governor [illegible] the law except to is- [illegible] to persons certified [illegible] the highest number of votes [illegible] private discussion of [illegible] Democrats, either in the [illegible] At least, they vigilantly [illegible] expression of opinion [illegible] learned, that very [illegible] Senators sustained the [illegible] they are of opinion [illegible] of the electoral [illegible] be taken by the Repub- [illegible] for going [illegible] Governor. They evident- [illegible] Senate will undertake to [illegible] vote for Oregon and [illegible] Hayes and Wheeler, and [illegible] resist such action if at- [illegible] They will simply act [illegible] for themselves in [illegible] of Louisiana and other [illegible] The Democrats, instead of [illegible] of Grover as a gross out- [illegible] inclined to laugh at it as a [illegible] joke, by which they [illegible] advantage over the [illegible] probable that twenty [illegible] the Democratic vote [illegible] Oregon, but they will [illegible] in supposing that [illegible] precedent for action in other

[illegible] special says Demo- [illegible] as they seemed [illegible] the Oregon news. [illegible] intended to use this [illegible] the Republican Senate [illegible] in Louisiana. Ac- [illegible] condemns the party for tak- [illegible] Democrats in the Senate [illegible] exactly similar case [illegible] grounds [illegible] as Grover's, and every [illegible] him. The case was Vance [illegible] throughout [illegible] that Southern Democrats [illegible] their Northern brethren [illegible] This was especially [illegible] when argument was [illegible] of Grant, on the [illegible] would prejudice Tilden and [illegible]

[illegible] Dec. 8.—Republicans here [illegible] Gov. Grover has furnished [illegible] the recognition of [illegible] Presidential elector. Cro- [illegible] pronounced, will establish [illegible] legality of the two Repub- [illegible] the Governor. If not [illegible] will establish the [illegible] the Republicans in the elec- [illegible] majority. When they met [illegible] either by [illegible] himself, or Watts' resigna- [illegible] filled by electing Watts. [illegible] no question that the [illegible] cast for Hayes are the [illegible] morally or technically [illegible] the view of the case which [illegible] uneasiness among [illegible] steroay. The [illegible] caucus discussed the [illegible] this morning and took no [illegible] excellent and confi-

[illegible] World's Opinion.

[illegible] Dec. 8.—The *World's* Washing- [illegible] the final decision of the great [illegible] universally conceded, is now [illegible] Congress count the vote in [illegible] single vote in Oregon for Ti- [illegible] complicated the situation or [illegible] any of whom concede this [illegible] result in Oregon has been [illegible] They declare that the vote is [illegible] elects Tilden must be thrown [illegible] or president pro tem. re- [illegible] the Oregon certificate for the [illegible] count it. If such high- [illegible] as that of counting by the [illegible] is to be made, this, of [illegible] a precedent by which the [illegible] of the returning boards can be [illegible] Democratic House or by [illegible] Republican Senators and [illegible] greatly puzzled what to do in [illegible] If the Oregon elector is [illegible] precedent is established, no mat- [illegible] is arranged, for throwing [illegible] Louisiana and Florida.

[illegible] the Center Figure.

[illegible] Dec. 8.—The Oregon election is [illegible] in certain quarters. Crossbeck, [illegible] the opinion that the Democratic [illegible] the case by forcing its claim [illegible] vote from Oregon is deciding the [illegible] rather regards it as an import- [illegible] movement by the Democratic [illegible] inquiry beyond certificates [illegible] returning boards of South Caro- [illegible] and Louisiana, to Hayes electors. [illegible] he is seconded by a majority [illegible] leaders, and it is not at all [illegible] the election of Tilden will be [illegible] by reason of this vote. If mere [illegible] are to be regarded as conclusive, [illegible] of Oregon must be admitted on that [illegible] as the votes of Florida. If [illegible] no authority to go behind the [illegible] authenticated by the State execu- [illegible] electoral vote from Ore- [illegible] Tilden the requisite 185 votes. [illegible] declared elected. If, on the other [illegible] go behind the certificates [illegible] the validity of Hayes' ma- [illegible] disputed vote in Oregon and one either in Florida, Louisiana or South Carolina. The Republicans have a quick and clear appreciation of the magnitude of this sudden peril. The unbridled rage of denunciation which they have let loose upon Gov. Grover attests the importance they attach to his action. There is no end of opprobrious epithets which they heap upon the governor of Oregon. He is a traitor, a Benedict Arnold; he has committed the great crime of the century; he is to be refused a seat in the Senate to which he was elected by the last legislature of his State. Whether he deserves this great outpouring of wrath or not, its authors may, by this exhibition, imply a confession that they are sadly upset and demoralized by the governor's action.

The *Herald's* Washington special says leading Democrats to-night say they do not care to defend the action in Oregon, but where there was so much unscrupulous sharp practice on the other side, they are glad to be able on any fair and legal plea to cry "halt!" and again point in favor of fair play. Wells, of New York, says it makes a case for the House and gives the Democrats the advantage of counting the votes. If the Republicans refuse to recognize the Democratic electors' votes, the House will be justified in proceeding to exclude the vote of Louisiana and others. The Democrats, however, think their position is not much improved by the irregularity in Oregon. The Democrats propose to attempt to impeach Chandler. The latter bids defiance.

Grover's Explanation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The *Herald* publishes this:

SALEM, Oregon, Dec. 7.

EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—At your request I give you some of the grounds of my action in granting the certificates to Electors duly elected. In taking his oath of office the governor is sworn to support the constitution of the United States, and of the State. In the election of President and the members of Congress the constitution of the United States is the paramount law. That instrument declares that no person holding an office under the United States shall be appointed as an Elector. J. W. Watts, one of the Electors voted for in Oregon, was, on the 8th day of November, holding an office of trust and profit under the United States, to wit: postmaster at Lafayette, the county seat of Yamhill county; he so held that office for more than three years. Many more than the number of votes constituting his majority had actually passed in and out of his office on official business. His official character was generally known and was mentioned during the political discussions of the canvass. The law was known and the act was known rendering him disqualified as an Elector. A protest was filed in the executive office by prominent citizens objecting to the issuance of a certificate to Watts, as a person disqualified, accompanied by proof of his disqualification, and demanding the same be issued to an eligible person having the next highest number of votes. A reply was filed objecting to anything but a count of the votes and a certificate of the count, and making no denial of the disqualifying facts. It was ruled in the case that when an objection to an applicant's right to receive the certificate rests upon the ground that a constitutional prohibition is interposed, the Governor acting under oath to support the Constitution, is bound to entertain and determine the question; not only that, but is to determine in such a way as to enforce the constitutional mandate to the extent of the executive power. It was also held that the law and the fact being well known that the votes cast for the ineligible candidate cannot be counted for him to any purpose, and the eligible candidate having the next highest number of votes, was duly elected. This ruling was based upon the standard authorities of such as Cushing, the decisions of many courts like the Supreme Court and the Court of Appeals of New York, the later uniform practice in the U. S. House of Representatives, and the great weight of English authorities, both parliamentary and judicial. The law of Oregon providing for filling vacancies in the electoral college, recognizes a vacancy only in cases where there has been an incumbent and such incumbent has died, has refused to act, neglected to stand, or is otherwise absent. In this case there was no incumbent, unless the next highest candidate should take the position, and there was no vacancy which could be filled by the other members of the electoral college. The next highest candidate eligible under the Constitution of the United States was therefore certified to be duly elected.

L. F. GROVER,
Governor of Oregon.

Tilden Gets on High Ground.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says Tilden declares through Hewitt that he will not accept the office of President through the technicality of the Oregon electoral vote, but will demand it, and intimates that those opposing him commit treason. Hoar says the Republican party will take neither horn of the dilemma which Hewitt presents. Hoar does not state the programme to be pursued, but it is thought the president of the Senate will refuse to receive votes forwarded by rival electors. He will not count as certificates pieces of paper known to be fraudulent, and a mere trick. There is no debate in the order pending this count nor any constitutional appeal from it.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

Inauguration of Gov. Chamberlain.

COLUMBIA, Dec. 7.—Governor Chamberlain to-day took the oath of office as governor in the State house before Probate Judge Boon, a joint resolution repealing the law that the oath should be taken before the chief justice or associate justice having passed previously. The inauguration was over before it was known in the city. Only a few parties were admitted by the authorities and witnessed the ceremony. A company of troops were stationed in the corridor and constabulary guarded the entrance.

Governor Chamberlain said he accepted the office to which, by a majority of the people, he a second time had been called, with knowledge of its great responsibility and difficulties. Consideration of duty impelled him to accept. He regarded the present hour in South Carolina as a crisis at which no patriotic citizen should shrink from any public post to which he was called. The present struggle is in defense of the foundation of our government and institutions. If we fail now the government of South Carolina will no longer rest on the consent of the governed, expressed by the vote of a majority of the people. If our opponents triumph, under whatever guise of legal forms, free government in the State is overthrown. His chief care will be to contribute his utmost to the effort to defend the rights, guard the peace and promote the welfare of all the people of the State. Only cowardice or treachery can rob Republicans of the victory. If the Republicans yielded we shall witness the consummation of a cruel conspiracy by Democrats to overcome by brute force the political will of 20,000 awful votes. He had mourned over previous public abuses. It is written in blood that no nation can safely rest on enforced slavery or the degradation of race, yet the American people are to-day divided on the question of the disfranchisement and degradation of the same race it freed, and what is more astonishing, Republicans have permitted errors attending the first efforts of this race in self government to so chill their sympathies as to state and practically say the peace of political servitude is better than the abuses newly acquired freedom has brought. He denounced the conduct of the Democratic campaign as a brutal outrage, depending on fraud, proscription, intimidation and murder. Hampton had said he held not only the peace of the State, but his (Chamberlain's) life in his hands. This he did not doubt. His life could be easily taken but nothing could make them abate the hatred and opposition to the enslavement of the people of South Carolina. The legislature then adjourned.

Proceedings of the Democratic House.

The Democratic House met with the constitutional quorum of members holding certificates from the Secretary of State. They confirmed all acts previously done, and finally seated Edgefield and Laurens delegation. A committee was appointed to inform the Senate that the House was ready for business, and ask Gen. Ruger to remove the troops from the State house.

Hampton Replies to Chamberlain.

Hampton issued a card to the public to-day referring to Chamberlain's closing remarks in his inaugural address, saying: "I pronounce this statement infamously false. I, by my renewed exertions, have endeavored to preserve the peace of the State, and have thus contributed to shield from popular indignation one who has proved a disgrace to his rank and a traitor to his trust. His conscience may make him tremble but neither nor the men with whom I act countenance the hand of the assassin. WADE HAMPTON.

Investigations at Work—The Situation.

COLUMBIA, S C., Dec. 8.—The Congressional investigation committee arrived last night, and this morning met and organized, and soon after drove to the State house. The Republican house and senate are in session, but have taken no important action. The committee appointed by the Democratic house yesterday are now in the discharge of their mission, which is to call upon the officers commanding the U. S. troops, and inform them the house is legally constituted, and ask the withdrawal of troops from the building, and if refused, to demand by what authority the troops are retained there. The house has also instructed the judiciary committee to employ counsel and proceed against D. W. Chamberlain for treasonable acts in usurping the government of the State; also directing the committee to ascertain and report what counties are not represented in the house.

LOUISIANA.

Northern Democrats Gone Home.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—Northern Democrats left for home to-day.

Political Excitement Over.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The *Times'* New Orleans special says: It is not probable there will be any further excitement here until the beginning of the year, when the new Governor must be inaugurated and the Legislature commence its session. The Congressional committee is expected Monday, and it is announced that representatives from the Lower House intend to visit the bull-dozed parishes. The Democrats are making extraordinary efforts to remove evidence of violence and intimidation from them. The Democrats are rejoicing that the Senate committee will not visit Louisiana, but will hold sessions in Washington. The committee's action is a great mistake.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—The *Tribune's* New Orleans special says: Democratic papers here are very bitter and incendiary.

Willing to Sell, but no Purchasers.

The *World's* New Orleans special says: The following details of the Levissee matter are given by a man who knows the circumstances: Levissee, when coming down the river, said he knew Tilden was elected, and it was a damn shame to cheat him out of it; that if he could be taken care of and protected, so he could get out of the country, he would vote for him. On arriving in the city he made offers of his vote for $100,000, and yesterday reduced his price to $50,000. He said he had a speech prepared, and would take high moral ground. He was suspected by the Republicans, and their suspicions were communicated to Zach Chandler at Washington, who, on Tuesday, telegraphed for information on the subject. Persons with whom Levissee communicated had no association with any Democratic committee, and their motives probably were to induce Levissee to expose himself. He was willing and anxious to be bought, but was unable to find a purchaser.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—A New Orleans special to the *Inter-Ocean*, gives the sworn statement of Levissee, taken by an attorney in New Orleans in which Levissee testifies that while remaining at the house of a lady in the city, he received a note from a man well known as a Democrat, urging him to meet the writer next morning, November 5th. From the hints he received, he was convinced the purpose in all this, was to offer a bribe for his vote, and in order to develope fully the circumstances and names of the parties connected with the move, and to see the bribers in pursuit of him until it was too late to attack any one else, he visited the place appointed. Acting under the advice of Marshal Pitkin, he met the party whose name he does not designate specifically, except as Mr. Bont. A conversation ensued, stating that he had merely a business proposition to make, he asked if for $40,000 or $50,000 he could refuse the Governor's certificate as elector, and thus defeat the election of Hayes. Levissee made no direct answer, but suggested a larger sum might be necessary, etc. At the next interview, the same day, he said that if Levissee would cast his vote directly for Tilden he could offer him $100,000. This was again left unsettled, and an hour later he returned giving statement of how and where the money could be obtained, namely, from a Mr. C., well known to deponent. Together they went to see the latter who was wealthy and fully responsible. On the morning for casting the electoral vote B. met deponent and said the money was in the hands of C., who would pay it over when the act was consummated. At this point, believing his point had been accomplished, Levissee told B. the amount was insufficient, and they would drop the matter. He promised B. not to disclose the names unless judicially compelled. The correspondent speaks of Levissee as an irreproachable and respected citizen.

THE PRESIDENTIAL SQUABBLE.

The Tribune Thinks Everything is Lovely.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says: Republicans are confident to-night that the country will accept the inauguration of Hayes as the rightful solution of the Presidential complication. They believe the Democrats by their conduct since the election have excited distrust and alarm. The worst features in the conduct of the Democrats are stated as follows: First, they endeavored to bribe Hughes, an elector in South Carolina, to betray his trust, and made a direct offer to him of a large sum of money. Second, they made a similar corrupt proposition to one of Hayes' electors in Louisiana. Third, they tried to purchase one of the Republicans of the Florida board of State canvassers, in order to secure a majority in the board and have the electoral vote of the State returned for Tilden. Fourth, they induced the Governor of Oregon to trample upon his own oath of office and give a certificate of election to a Democrat who had no shadow of legal right to the certificate. It is held here that Hayes has received 185 lawfully cast electoral votes, and there is no Republican in Washington to-night who does not believe he will be inaugurated President of the United States.

What the Southern Democrats Demand.

In the Democratic caucus yesterday, Ben Hill and other Southern Democrats notified Fernando Wood that they did not want any more rebellion in the South, or war. They claimed Tilden's election, demanded that the Democrats assume the responsibility of seating and suggested that if any future force or resistance was to be made, Wood and his friends must inaugurate it.

Invincible in Peace—Invisible in War.

The *Times* editorial: A rebuke was yesterday administered to the little squad of home guard Democrats, led by Hewitt and Fernando Wood, egged on by the New York *World*, who have been calling for impeachment of the President, and making silly threats about war. Hewitt's proposition for a committee of inquiry, looking to impeachment, was voted down in the Democratic caucus, and a speech by Wood was denounced by Ben Hill. That gentleman intimated that it was only men who were invincible in peace and invisible in war who talked about bloodshed now, and said plainly that if this class had not had enough of it the South had. John Young Brown also declared if there was to be war on the Presidential question the Northern Democrats must make it. This display of good sense and genuine patriotism on the part of men who have been heretofore regarded as among the more violent, is a hopeful sign and one of great value.

Bets Off.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—John Morrissey declared off all pools sold in his house on the direct result of the Presidential election.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—John Morrissey has been paying back all money placed in his hands on the President al election to-day.

100 Guns for Hayes.

HARTFORD, Dec. 7.—Republicans will fire 100 guns to-morrow because Hayes is elected.

The Latest Inculbus.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 7.—The Democrats claim that Downs, Republican elector, is examining surgeon of the pension bureau, and having cast his vote while thus ineligible, only nine votes have been cast in the State. The Republicans argue that this is not an office in the contemplation of the constitution, even if he held it.

Something Worth Investigating.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—A dispatch says the Republican national committee intend to make an investigation of reported cases of attempts to bribe Judge Levisse, Republican elector of Louisiana, who was offered $100,000 if he would vote for Tilden, or even cast his ballot for Blaine or Grant, so as to make a tie. He is a resident of Shreveport. He is a native of the South, and was a Union man during the war. Those who attempted to bribe him appealed to his memory of his sufferings during the war, and insisted that the only way for him to prevent another war was to defeat Hayes, as he had it in his power.

The Joint Rule Decision—Will Cronin be Allowed to Appear.

The *Inter-Ocean's* Washington special says: The decision sustaining President Ferry on the joint rule question is considered a great step toward solving the election complication, since Republicans can question one Missouri and one North Carolina electoral vote on precisely the same grounds as Democrats can question the solid Republican return from Oregon. It is doubtful if the Democrats will even allow Cronin to appear and present his returns. It is authoritatively stated a telegram has been sent Gov. Tilden urging him to repudiate Grover's action.

The National Republican committee have a circular, printed in the Democratic office here, for distribution over the South. It announces that next March (inauguration day) there is to be an extensive military parade here, and invites rifle clubs and other military organizations of the South to participate. It asks for the numerical strength of each company which will accept the invitation and for other information about the company.

Canvassing for State Officers.

TALLAHASSEE, Dec. 7.—The canvassing board has not yet completed the canvass, and has been all day in session, and some changes will, it is said, be made in the count for State officers. The coming of the congressional committee is looked for with great anxiety, as it is expected they will go into those counties where frauds were conspicuous, and thus be brought face to face with those testifying. Attorney-General Cocke will, it is understood, at the conclusion of the canvass, review the proceedings and present them the opinion of his colleagues on the board. The military yet remain, but orders are expected calling the artillery to Washington.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Ophir 44, G & C 4, Mexican 23, B & B 24, California 60, Con Va 47, H & N 7, Point 6, Jacket 17, Imperial 25, Kentuck 10, Collar 8, Confidence 12, Alpha 51, Belcher 14, S Nevada 12, Utah 15, Exchequer 15, Seg Belcher 1, Overman 118, Union 11, Justice 24, Lucky 1, Bryan 4, Caledonia 14, Knickerbocker 50, Cons 20, Baltimore 3, Hill 19, Julia 3, Dayton 3, Rhode Island 1, New York 1, Occidental 2, Woodville 1, Washington 3, ltm 3, Kossuth 2, Andes 2.

EVENING BOARD.—Valley 50c, A & E 3, Alta 1, Eu Con 1, K K Con 3, Belmont 2, Leopard 5, N Belle Isle 13, Thomas 1, Manhattan 5, Grand Prize 1, Modoc 6, Charlos 50c, Foreman 2, Leeds 2, Wells Fargo 20c, Jacob 10c, Leviathan 1, N Con Va 1, Prospect 1, Trojan 6, Mexican 22, Justice 20, Jacket 74, Caifornia 58, Ophir 44, Con Va 47, Ohio ar 8, H & N 7, Overman 10.

Pigeon Shooting Match.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—A match has been arranged between Capt. Bogardus, champion pigeon shooter, and Mr. Robinson, a young lawyer of this city, well known as a crack shot to take place at Oakland Park, Wednesday, one hundred birds each, sixty single and twenty pairs, or a purse of $500.

More Trouble in the Mines.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Dissatisfied stockholders of Lady Bryan mining company held a meeting this evening, 16,000 shares being represented and it was stated that probably three times that number would come into the movement with little effort. The management of the Co. was denounced in most vigorous terms, and among other things accused of having swindled stockholders to amount of $380,000. A committee was appointed to engage first class legal talent to take steps to obtain an injunction restraining the company from holding an election, and if necessary throw it into bankruptcy. An assessment will be levied on parties to the movement to defray expenses of legal proceedings.

A Clue to the Jennie Bonnet Murder.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—There seems some reason to hope the mystery surrounding the murder of Jennie Bonnet may be cleared up. The following dispatch was received here this afternoon:

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.

Ernest Girard was arrested here to-day, charged with the murder of Jennie Bonnet, at a hotel in San Miguel, on the 14th of September.

Suspicion rested on Girard at the time of the murder, but no evidence was then found to warrant his arrest. Some time ago he left the city, and the presumption is that the police, acting upon new evidence which may have recently been brought to light, telegraphed the Eastern police authorities to arrest him. The police here say they have been looking for Girard some time, but offer no explanation of the reason.

A Mine in Limbo.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—The meeting of stockholders of Pioche Mining Co. advertised to be held to-day, is to devise a way of saving the property from the sheriff's hammer. There is a debt of $30,000 hanging over the mine. Judgment was obtained and execution issued. The sale takes place to-morrow. There only 545 shares represented. So no meeting could be had, and the property will be sold. The secretary stated that only about 4,000 shares paid the last assessment. The rest of the stock reverted to the company.

Republicans Rejoicing.

MARYSVILLE, Dec. 8.—The Republicans of this city fired a hundred guns this evening at sunset for the prospective election of Gov. Hayes to the Presidency.

ATLANTIC CABLE.

Extradition.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The *News* editorially rejoices that the English government has seen their mistake on the extradition question and had courage and candor to acknowledge it.

Anxiety about Buenos Ayres.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Further private telegrams of a disquieting nature have been received from Buenos Ayres.

Bank of England.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day, £165,000.

Cabinet Crisis in Greece.

ATHENS, Dec. 8.—A new ministry has been formed in consequence of the defeat by the chamber of deputies of the proposed increase of tax for war purposes.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.

Debate on the Message continued.

Bayard argued against printing such documents, though it was usual to print official documents coming from the President. The office of President did not connect him with election relations. It was unwarrantable to send a committee to New Orleans. He would not object if the testimony of the other side could be printed with this, but objected to this alone; the Senate must stand on the law; there must be no shuffling.

Sargent made a masterly reply to this speech of Bayard.

The committees report to print documents and accompanying depositions was agreed to, 40 to 13; Wallace and Kernan voting with the Republicans.

Mitchell submitted the following:

WHEREAS, At the late presidential election in the State of Oregon, the people, by a majority of over 1,100 chose electors who were pledged to vote for R. B. Hayes for President, and Wm. A. Wheeler for Vice President; and

WHEREAS, The Governor of that State, upon the pretext that J. W. Watts, elector thus chosen, was at the time of his election deputy postmaster, certified that one E. A. Cronin, who had been a candidate upon the Democratic electoral ticket, that he, Cronin, was chosen and elected on the face of the record and undisputed fact that he had been defeated by the majority before stated; and

WHEREAS, The Governor placed in the hands of E. A. Cronin the certificates of the other two electors chosen to vote for Hayes and Wheeler, instead of putting them into their own hands, as the law requires, who retained them in his possession and refused to exhibit them; and

WHEREAS, This E. A. Cronin assumed to appoint two electors, and with them pretended to cast the electoral vote of the State, and certified it up to the President of the Senate; and

WHEREAS, The action of said governor in issuing a certificate of election to said Cronin was wholly unauthorized, illegal and fraudulent, and a gross violation of the rights of the people of Oregon and the action of said Cronin, in presuming to act as an elector and appoint two others, was really fraudulent and wicked.

Resolved, That the committee on privileges and elections are hereby instructed to investigate the facts attending the appointment of said electors and pretended electors and the action of the governor and Secretary of State in respect to them and report the same to the Senate; and for this purpose may employ a stenographer, send for persons and papers, administer oaths and examine witnesses.

Morton said there was no precedent for seating a minority candidate because of the ineligibility of the person receiving a majority of the votes cast. In fact the case had been decided exactly the reverse in the Senate and House. He cited the cases of John Young, Brown and Abbott vs Vance. He quoted at length from English and American authorities.

Thurman argued the reverse side of the question. There was certainly a disqualifying clause, but whether the minority candidate should be declared elected he could not say now.

Edmunds did not wonder that returns held up a little before going into this, as he understood Gov. Grover had undertaken to thwart the will of the people of Oregon. He quoted various legal authorities, showing the practice both here and in England was opposed to the doctrine of Grover.

Ordered printed and lie on table.

[illegible] introduced the following bill to regulate unauthorized persons from assuming to act as Presidential electors:

Be it enacted, &c., That every person who shall in any State cast or be [illegible] for President and Vice President of the United States or make or certify to any list of persons voted for on behalf of such State for President and Vice President, or shall deliver or transmit any such certified list to the president of the Senate, either by mail or messenger, or who shall deposit any such certified list with the judge of any district court within the United States, or who shall in any other way assume to act as an elector for President and Vice President, without having been duly appointed to and made such in accordance with the law of such State, shall be deemed guilty of felony, and on conviction thereof fined not less than $[illegible],000 or imprisoned not less than ten years.

Section 2. Every person who shall bear any such certified list of persons who voted for President and Vice President of the [illegible] to the seat of government, or shall deliver the same to the president of the Senate, knowing such list to be certified by persons not duly appointed to act, shall be adjudged guilty of felony, and on conviction be fined not less than [illegible],000 or imprisoned not less than two years; referred.

Edmunds gave notice that he would call up to-morrow the proposed constitutional amendment to re[illegible] action in counting the vote for President and Vice President. Adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.

Ingalls reported a resolution requesting the Secretary of the Interior to report immediately what efforts have been made to remove the Sioux from their treaty reservation to the Indian territory, and what negotiations are now pending, and what is the object thereof; agreed to.

Kellogg called up his resolution directing an investigation of the circumstances attending the appointment of Cronin Presidential elector by the governor; referred to election committee without debate.

Bogy's bill introduced last session, making the silver dollar a legal tender, and providing for the issue of silver coin, was referred to the committee on [illegible].

On motion three members were added to the select committee, to assist in the Southern election investigation provided by Edmunds' resolution.

Harvey submitted a resolution authorizing a select committee to examine into the several branches of the civil service, etc., send for persons, papers, &c.

Johnston argued that the Senate and House were acting under the joint rules every day, and could not transact business without them. The authority to appoint conference committees came from the joint rules.

Edmunds said there was a general parliamentary rule providing for conference committees.

Sargent said when the list of committees was reported the other day, it was accompanied by resolutions authorizing the committees on library, printing etc., to act concurrently with the House committees. This showed the Senate did not recognize the joint rules under which these committees might act.

Davis said he asked Wright when the committees were reported, whether that was any change in the usual custom of appointing committees, and Wright assured him there was none. It seemed now there was one for the purpose of avoiding the joint rules.

Wright explained by saying his mind was occupied when Davis addressed him, and understood Davis to ask whether there was any great change in the organization of committees.

Morton said it was perfectly plain to him that the Senate, having withdrawn from the joint rules as if it had the right, there were none in force. He read from the record showing that previously the Democrats held their views of the same. He believed their sole purpose now was to retain the 22d joint rule for counting the electoral vote. It was a wicked rule, universally condemned. He had been trying to abolish it for years.

Bayard said the 22d rule was the only objectionable one. Last session he attempted to secure the passage of a bill regulating the electoral count outside of the joint rules. He described the origin and workings of the rules. He reiterated his previous opinion that the rules could be terminated at the discretion of either House.

Edmunds quoted from his own, and Merrimon's remarks last session, showing Merrimon had changed his opinion since.

Merrimon said the change was wrought by reflection.

Edmunds paid graceful tribute to the late Speaker as a patriotic and honorable man, and quoted his decision on this question.

Edmunds said the joint rules were simply standing orders of each, repealable by either party. After further debate of the question, the decision of the chair was sustained; yeas 50, nays 4.

After a long debate, the question being on the appeal of Merrimon, the decision of the chair was sustained; yeas 50; nays 5. So the rule is not in force. Those voting nay were Maxey, Merrimon, White and Withers. Among the absentees in the Senate when the vote was taken were Jones, Baron and Kelly.

Withers introduced a bill for the relief of owners and purchasers of land sold for direct taxes in the insurrectionary States; referred.

The joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution concerning the electoral count was read, after which the Senate went into executive session and adjourned till Monday.

House.

The committee on judiciary agree to report favorably on the resolution offered by Representative McCrary yesterday, providing for the appointment of a committee to act in conjunction with a committee of the Senate to secure a count of the electoral votes, and determination of the disputed question by a tribunal whose authority none can question, and whose decision all will accept as final.

The committee postponed action of the Colorado matter until next Monday.

The House committee on appropriations to-day assigned to Representatives Holman, Blount and Waldron the preparation of the postoffice appropriation bill, and this sub-committee will meet to commence their work to-morrow.

Piper introduced a bill establishing the Territory of Black Hills and providing a temporary form of government; referred.

Lemoyne offered the following resolution:

Whereas, serious differences of opinion may arise between members of the two houses of Congress as to their jurisdiction and powers in joint session in counting the electoral vote, and the questions involved being questions of law,

Resolved, That the Senate be requested to join in a committee to act with a committee of five to be appointed by the Speaker of the House in presenting to the Supreme Court such questions as either of said committees may deem important and asking members of the Supreme Court to give Congress an opinion thereon.

Hoskins rose to debate the question and it therefore went over under the rule.

Mills offered a resolution calling on the President for information as to whether the cavalry had been recently removed from the Texas frontier.

Baker introduced a bill proposing a constitutional amendment prohibiting the payment of claims growing out of the loss of property during the late rebellion.

The pension appropriation bill passed.

Wood called up his resolution asking the President for copies of instructions and reports from military officers in the South since August. Republicans objected.

EASTERN NEWS.

A Deliberate Suicide.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 7.—At Fort Snelling to-day James McCann, formerly a soldier in Co. H, 20th U. S. Infantry, stood watching the operations of a buzz saw, when he suddenly rushed up and threw his head in front of the saw. Before the horrified workmen could reach him his head was fairly severed from the body, leaving the two bleeding parts hanging by the neck, presenting a spectacle of the most ghastly and sickening description. McCann was serving out a term of military imprisonment for desertion and was just released.

[illegible]

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—[illegible] have been holding meetings to-night [illegible] North-west [illegible] over the [illegible] election of Hayes and Wheeler. Chicago Democrats are preparing to demonstrate their satisfaction at the [illegible] on Saturday.

[illegible] Penalty.

[illegible] Dec. 7.—[illegible] for the murder of Wm. [illegible] was found guilty and sentenced to be hanged [illegible]

[illegible]

CINCINNATI, Dec. [illegible]—Frank [illegible] John was to-day found guilty in the [illegible] district court of illegal voting at the Presidential election and committed to await sentence.

[illegible]

It is now stated that the State Department has satisfactory evidence that [illegible] the U. S. consul at Santiago [illegible] procure a vessel for his escape to Cuba [illegible] was dismissed to-day.

[illegible] Explosion.

DETROIT, Dec. 8.—The explosion of the boiler of [illegible] killed one, badly injuring others. Loss $25,000. Two hundred men are thrown out of employment.

[illegible] Travel.

NEW YORK, Dec. [illegible]—The [illegible] steamer [illegible] from Yokohama, September [illegible] via Hiogo [illegible] and Amoy and [illegible] arrived [illegible] December [illegible] the opinion of [illegible] that [illegible] via San Francisco.

[illegible]

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 8.—A fire broke out in the Adelphi theater [illegible] and the interior of the building was consumed.

[illegible]

NEW YORK, Dec. [illegible]—Gold closed at [illegible]; money [illegible]; governments [illegible]; stocks [illegible]; Pacific Mail [illegible]; Erie [illegible]; bonds [illegible]

[illegible] Wheat Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. [illegible]—[illegible] quiet but firm; supply [illegible] California [illegible] and medium [illegible]

[illegible]

CHICAGO, Dec. [illegible]

[illegible]

NEW YORK, Dec. [illegible]—A man giving his name as [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Democratic Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The Democratic house caucus was in session two and a half hours this afternoon [illegible]

Fernando Wood [illegible] a resolution proposing to introduce a resolution in the House instructing the committee on judiciary to inquire into the laws [illegible] and ascertain and report whether [illegible] any violation [illegible]

Representative [illegible] moved that all matters under discussion be referred to a committee of 10, to report when the committees were recently appointed by the House [illegible] Louisiana, South Carolina and [illegible] shall have returned to Washington with the facts in the case. The caucus sequenced [illegible]

During the caucus various members expressed their views [illegible] The general sentiment was that the pending questions between the two parties respecting the electoral vote should be [illegible] and [illegible] should be avoided [illegible] in this connection [illegible] the Southern Democrats were opposed [illegible] the action of Wade Hampton offered an example worthy [illegible] The caucus adjourned subject to the call of [illegible] chairman.

Republican Senatorial Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Dec. [illegible]—Republican Senators held a caucus [illegible] there was considerable interchange of views on the political situation, but no action was taken.

A Desert Land Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—A bill introduced by Piper, to-day, proposes to grant to Woosencraft and associates [illegible] desert lands west of the river [illegible] by action, as far as they convey from the river sufficient water to irrigate them. The grant is also conditional on Woosencraft's furnishing, within ten years, sufficient fresh water on said desert for the purposes of travel and emigration. Work must commence within two years.

[illegible] Territory.

[illegible] concerning the Black Hills country proposes the immediate creation of an ordinary Territorial government for that region. He considers this very important, and therefore will urge the prompt passage of the bill.

[illegible] Joint Rule [illegible] given Up.

Great [illegible] attached to the Senate's action sustaining Ferry's decision that the joint rules of last Congress are no longer in force, as Bayard, Kernan, Wallace and a few other prominent Democratic Senators united with the Republicans in making this decision which is exactly contrary to Speaker Randall's ruling in the House. Only four Democratic Senators voted the other way. The question will probably be again raised in the House, and an appeal taken from Speaker Randall's decision when some prospect that sufficient Democrats will now agree with the Republican members to override it. The agreement of the House judiciary committee to recommend the adoption of McCrary's proposition looking to a count of the electoral vote by the U. S. Supreme Court is considered highly significant of substantial acknowledgement that Gov. Grover's action will not necessarily result in throwing the Presidential election into the House. Excitement over the Presidential question has greatly subsided during the last 48 hours, and though much anxiety is still expressed, more general confidence prevails that the matter will be peaceably decided and the result accepted without serious disturbance in any quarter.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The judiciary committee will recommend the adoption of McCrary's resolution concerning the electoral count with an amendment, the one providing that the special committee shall consist of seven instead of five members. It will probably be reported to the House next Monday.

CANADA.

Closed for Ice.

ST. CATHARINES, [illegible] Dec. 8.—It is officially announced that the Welland canal closed Sunday.

REVOLUTION IN MEXICO.

Defeat of the Government Troops.

Flight of the President.

Triumphant Entrance of Diaz into the Capital.

A Counter Revolution—4,000 Men Marching on the Capital.

HAVANA, Dec. [illegible]—The English steamer from Vera Cruz brings the following startling intelligence:

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 1.—On the 16th ult. Porfirio Diaz defeated the Government army under Gen. Alatorre near Huamantla, about 100 miles distance from the City of Mexico. Although [illegible] Diaz was nearly defeated [illegible] fighting, when Gen. Gonzalez came up with 4,000 men, turning the scale and completely [illegible] Gen. Alatorre's army [illegible]

[illegible]

The railroad is now [illegible] Diaz [illegible]

[illegible] $600,000 [illegible] on claims awarded [illegible] Diaz can't probably [illegible] immediate wants [illegible] pay it.

An agreement had been made between the Iglesias [illegible] Diaz [illegible] should appoint all the [illegible] of the [illegible] Iglesias [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

LONDON, Dec. 7.—[illegible]

[illegible] Austria [illegible]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 7.—The [illegible]

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 8.—[illegible] St. Petersburg [illegible] large [illegible] the [illegible]

[illegible] Dec. 8.—[illegible] $900,000 for the [illegible] of the [illegible] army [illegible] year.

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SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 9, 1876.

THE 22d RULE NOT IN FORCE.

By a vote of 50 to 4, after exhaustive debate, the U. S. Senate decided that the joint rules of the last Congress are not in force. In this decision the Republican Senators were unanimous and nearly all the Democrats concurred. Practically this ends the discussion as to whether the 22d rule, of which so much has been said of late, is still operative. By this rule either house of Congress could reject the vote of any State, in counting the electoral votes. Mr. Randall was elected Speaker of the House, it is understood, through the influence of Mr. Tilden, and because he had expressed the opinion that the 22d rule was still in force. The object of insisting on the vitality of the rule was to enable the House to throw out the votes of some of the Southern States and by that means elect Tilden.

Now that the rule is abolished, the case is relieved of one complication, but it is not by any means freed from embarrassment. There is now no rule, and no statute on the subject—nothing to regulate the counting of the votes except the Constitution of the United State, which is indefinite and ambiguous. It must be construed, but who shall construe it? As the law stands at present, there is no way to get a construction of it from the Supreme Court. The Senate will hardly consent for the House to construe it, and the House will surely not consent to leave it to the Senate. Some how or other both branches of Congress will have some part in determining the rule of action to be pursued—that may as well be taken for settled, though just how the result will be reached no one can say yet. It is encouraging to see that both parties in Congress appear to be awake to the gravity of the situation and anxious to join in some measure calculated to remove the danger of violence. As we have said from the first, so we say yet, we have an abiding confidence that the difficulties which now present themselves will all be overcome and the result of the election be declared and enforced without serious commotion.

A GOOD SUBJECT TO INVESTIGATE.

All last winter the energies of the Democratic House of Representatives at Washington were lavishly expended in the investigation of the conduct of Republican officials and politicians. It was a fruitful field, and it was cultivated with an industry and zeal which showed that it was a labor of love on the part of the glorious army of reformers. This session opens with a shower of investigations, directed mainly to the ascertainment of the circumstances and facts connected with the electoral vote of the three States of Louisiana, Florida and South Carolina. That field promises to be as fertile as that which engaged the labors of these reformed and reformatory patriots during the last session. For instance there is the offer by Democrats of $100,000 to one of the Republican electors of Louisiana, that will certainly afford material for a very interesting and instructive report on the necessity of reform. Then in Florida the attempt by the Democratic managers to purchase a member of the returning board will make a very readable chapter and be useful for instruction in righteousness. Let it be investigated by all means. Then, too, there is the case of South Carolina where it is said Governor Tilden's "barl of money" made a vigorous but unsuccessful onslaught upon the electoral college. From all the evidence at hand, we are inclined to the opinion that the proceedings of the returning boards of the three lately disputed States would prove a very profitable subject of investigation, and since these disclosures have been made no doubt can be entertained that there is richness to be found in those States if the Congressional reformers will only "ply their avocation" with vigor and rigor proportionate to the opportunity.

Here is a precedent: In 1848 Samuel Russell, of Alleghany county, New York, was one of the Electors chosen in that State. At the time of the election he was a postmaster. He did not resign the office of postmaster, and did not attend the meeting of the electoral college. Under the present Democratic theory for this State (though not for Missouri) it should have been held that the votes cast for him were void, and that the candidate on the opposing ticket who received the highest vote was chosen. But no such notion prevailed that time. It was simply held that a vacancy existed, and the remaining Electors proceeded to fill the place.

Mexico has a violent attack of her old disease. Diaz has successfully accomplished a revolution, and driven President Lerdo from the capital. And then another ambitious statesman, who was at first in the Diaz movement, turns traitor to his co-traitor and is marching at the head of an army to make himself President. It is an awkward condition of affairs, and one that would be really discouraging to any other people than the Mexicans. They have become so accustomed to that sort of thing that it will probably be regarded by them as a trifling matter.

Governor Grove has become all at once the most notable person in America. His conspicuousness may do him some good, in case Tilden is elected.

The people of Eugene held a huge indignation meeting over Gov. Grover's action in the Electoral vote case.

Some interesting communications are unavoidably crowded out. They will appear at the earliest possible moment.

Last Saturday evening, while the children of Mr. John Redmond, near McMinnville, were playing about the room in which was a kettle of boiling cider, a little girl, three years old, came in contact with the vessel, when it was upset and its murderous contents were emptied upon her, scalding her in a shocking manner, from her arms down her body and upon the lower limbs.

Over 2,000 hogs will be shipped from Thurston, Lewis and Cowlitz counties this season, and $20,000 will be disbursed among the farmers of said animals. And yet it is said that pork cannot be successfully raised in Western Washington.

During the recent heavy rains the railroad track, four miles and eight miles from Walla Walla, was washed out and considerably damaged. The down train last Monday night only got within eight miles of Walla Walla.

THE BROOKLYN FIRE.

Further Particulars.

BROOKLYN, Dec. 7.

At the Adams street morgue the scene is horrible. Many charred bodies lay on the floor which could not there be identified nor distinguished as male or female. "My God!" said one poor woman, gazing at a mass of charred bones, "that may be my boy, but who can prove it." The remains of Dr. Franklin, dentist, on Portland avenue, were recognized by initials on the shirt collar. Capt. Crofts reports a distressing case of Mrs. Smith, a widow lady, and her daughter, Mrs. Simpson, who left their residence Tuesday evening to attend the theater, leaving a servant girl and an adopted orphan child alone in the house. Neither have returned, and, having no friends in the city, cannot be identified. Mrs. Simpson's husband was expected home from a long voyage on Saturday. The undertakers are very busy, and the police with difficulty keep the streets in the vicinity clear enough for the passage of vehicles. Pitiful scenes are occurring every hour. Two hundred and ninety-seven bodies have been put in the morgue. The mortality will probably reach 350. The aldermanic burial committee reports that 188 bodies were at the Adams street morgue and 96 at the city morgue at 11 o'clock to-day. Mr. Sheridan Shook was at the police station, reticent and intensely affected by the affair. Palmer is ill from constant work since the disaster, but Rogers, stage manager, and Secretary Gouge are empowered and anxious to furnish relief to those distressed or suffering from the calamity. Union square theater is closed until after the funeral of the victims of this awful calamity.

The aldermen and supervisors met jointly to-day to provide for the public burial of the unidentified bodies. The offer of the directors of Greenwood cemetery of a lot for 100 bodies was accepted. The proprietors of Park theater and Hodge's Opera House have offered their services on behalf of the sufferers. The Academy of Music will be used for funeral services Sunday, at 2 P. M. Among those present will be Bishop Littlejohn, Rev. Bishop Loughton, Rev. Dr. Cuyler, Rev. Dr. Scudder, Rev. Dr. Putnam, Rev. A. S. Fitch, Rev. Dr. Steimle and Rev. H. R. Nye. Many members of the Thirteenth Regiment have taken the place of police at the morgue, theater and other places, they being exhausted.

At the investigation by the fire marshal this afternoon, Sam'l W. Harvig, ticket receiver, Geo. Henry, property man, Chas. Straubeu, one of the parties who made the escape from the gallery, were all examined and gave their versions of the calamity. Thos. Jackson, architect, testified to the structure of the building and its dimensions. He said it was as well provided with means of exit as any theater that the witness knows of; when the theater was erected particular attention was paid to gas jets and border lights.

Sympathy and Relief for the Sufferers.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The board of aldermen this afternoon passed a resolution deploring the calamity and sympathizing with the unfortunate families of the victims. Mayor Wickham was requested by them to call upon the citizens for contributions to alleviate the distress which would surely follow this visitation.

A meeting of actors and others was held this afternoon at the Park Theater to take action in regard to the calamity. A committee was appointed to arrange plays to be performed in different theaters for the benefit of the sufferers. A committee of citizens was also appointed to relieve the immediate wants of the sufferers. Fifteen hundred dollars was subscribed towards a relief fund. A number of theaters have tendered performances. Resolutions of regret at the loss of the actors Murdoch and Burroughs, and condolence with their families were adopted. The city hall in Brooklyn was ordered by the aldermen to be draped in mourning out of respect to the dead.

The Number of Dead.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The *Tribune* sets the number of dead by the Brooklyn disaster, officially reported by the coroner, is 292. The precise total will probably never be known, owing to the fact that dismembered limbs of many were scattered in the process of digging in the ruins. The number identified and removed up to last evening was 178. The lists show a total of 370 indentified and missing, but it is impossible to avoid duplicates in many instances, and this will account for the unnatural excess. Many bodies will have to be buried at once without further attempts at identification, as putrefaction has already set in. The coroner's jury was yesterday empaneled and commenced an investigation. Preparations for private interment of many bodies were begun yesterday, and arrangements for the burial of the unidentified at public expense will probably be made to-day.

Theatrical People Helping the Sufferers.

At a meeting of actors and actresses yesterday, to arrange for a benefit for the Brooklyn theater sufferers every regular theater and minstrel troupe in New York and Brooklyn was represented, and a large number of theatrical people were represented individually. A resolution was adopted that every theatrical manager in the county be asked to contribute the proceeds of one performance to the relief fund.

Funeral Procession of a Whole City.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Brooklyn is literally walking in the valley of the shadow of death. Funerals of some of the victims of the disaster as have been identified is taking place, and through the streets in every part of the city hearses are moving, bearing remains to the cemeteries. About 85 men are at work on the ruins, and it is hoped the full extent of the calamity will be definitely ascertained within the next 24 hours. They have not succeeded in uncovering the dress circle, and it is therefore still uncertain how many, if any, of the spectators in it perished. One more body was found this morning in the parquette.

Eighty bodies are still in the morgue and 83 in Adams street morgue. Parts of some of the corpses have crumbled and look like heaps of offal. The carbolic acid is poured over them hourly by order of the board of health. Cloride of lime is scattered about the floor, and the decomposing of legs and trunks increase the offensiveness of the place. The coroner made further post mortem examinations to-day. Physicians believe most of the deaths were caused by suffocation.

The relief committee are now ascertaining the number of surviving relations and their condition. At the services in the Catholic churches to-day, reference was made to the disaster, and the congregation were called upon to make manifest their Catholic charity in prayers for the dead and pecuniary aid for the living.

Before the Marshal, Keady, John Boyle testified he was in the gallery when the alarm was given. About a hundred got out before he did. He testified the fire broke out in the flies over the stage. Murdock requested all to be seated. He saw others sit down and saw flakes of fire falling on the stage. He thought it was part of the play. He started out when it increased. Some one fell over him, and then 25 or 30 tumbled, and the rush of the fire and smoke came like a whirlwind. People were panic stricken, crying that the stairs were falling, and for God's sake for some one to let them out. Not over 75 people got out. Perhaps 50 women were in the gallery.

Charles Adams testified that he first saw the fire from the dress circle in the scenery on the left corner of the stage. He described the first alarm and actors' appeals. Finally Mr. Studley said, "Go, quick ly!" and they rushed out. Witness was knocked down. Saw several ladies knocked down. Everybody was in a panic. The crowd rushed over prostrate women. If the audience had been requested to leave quietly when the fire first broke out, they might all have been saved. Witness thought some failed to get out of the dress circle. He heard no stairs break. M. E. Richardson was in the gallery. The panic occurred when the alarm was given. All rushed for the door. At the first landing, near the box office, witness fell on a man who stumbled, and it seemed as though all who followed fell on that heap. The place was dark and the smoke came in volumes on his face, but being familiar with the stairs he got up and found his way out. He looked but saw nobody coming down the gallery after him. They were all piled in a heap near the box office. The stage door was shut and on fire. The panic and want of better means of exit prevented people from escaping. He did not believe 100 people of the 400, or 500 in the gallery got out. Charles Holloway was in the gallery, and after numerous adventures jumped over the heads of the people and was at the ticket office when the lights went out. He found two piles of women on the stairs in the dark apparently dead. The fire burned his ear and nearly suffocated him.

Timothy Owen, stage hand, had an interesting escape, making his way through an underground passage to a coal bunk under the pavement, and succeeded in getting beneath the coal hole where his rappings attracted the attention of the bystanders who helped him out.

The funerals of the unidentified occur Saturday instead of Sunday. Memorial services, however, Sunday. To-morrow the militia will assemble in Schermerhorn street and the following procession will be formed: Police, band, clergy in carriages, hearses escorted by the military, friends in carriages, city officials in carriages, and citizens. The procession moves at one. Services in the cemetery will be prayers and music, by the by the church choruses. Each coffin will in a separate vehicle by the undertakers. Schermerhorn street will be kept free from ordinary travel, during the procession. Places of business will be closed from one to three o'clock. Great care will be taken to rob the services of unnecessary painful scenes. The lot in Greenwood where the bodies will be buried is selected where a trench 10 feet deep is dug. A monument will be erected in the center of the plot. All coffins will be neat, plain, and similar, having only ornaments of diamond head tacks. About 3,000 infantry under command of General Dakin will form the escort.

Service Sunday afternoon will be held in Hooley's opera house, and Park Theater and Academy of Music. The vocal music will be under the direction of F. W. Lovejoy, and the instrumental music under the direction of L. Cantenno, band master of 23d Regiment. The actors, masculine and feminine, with characteristic generosity, have promptly volunteered their services in aid of the fund or the relief of the suffering and impoverished surviving relatives of the dead. Clara Morris, Rose Etynge and John T. Raymond are conspicuous volunteers, and Mr. McVicker has tendered the services of Edwin Booth. Members of the theatrical profession were appointed to communicate with every manager in the United States and ask their co-operation in raising funds. J. T. Ford, it was promised, would give the proceeds of performances in Baltimore and Washington. Harry S. Griffith, who was in the dress circle with his wife, writes to Fire Marshal Keady: We were the last to leave our seats. We tried to escape by the doorway in the corner near where we were sitting, over which were the words: "Exit to Johnson street." We were driven back by the smoke and fire that was making its way through the partition, and when we turned around to go toward the main entrance all the people in the dress circle had got into the lobby. We had no difficulty in getting into the lobby, but found that it was blocked and we could get no farther. At that moment we were overwhelmed with smoke and after being nearly suffocated we escaped. I am sure that there was no one in dress circle behind us, and, with the exception of a female lying on the stairs, and over whom I fell while coming down there were no females above the first landing when I brought my wife down. The story to the effect that some of the officers of the first precinct of Brooklyn had refused to allow certain men to escape by means of a grating from the basement of the theater during the fire is most emphatically contradicted by Police Captain Smith and his sergeants. They say that two men were rescued through the grating in question, and that that they were unaccompanied. They also declare that the part of the theater was searched by firemen after the alarm had been given and found empty.

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Near Walla Walla, Nov. 26, Wm. Gilbert and Miss Belle Russell.

In Walla Walla county, Nov. 30, J. Daniels and Mrs. Margaret Seitel.

DIED.

In this city, Dec. 8, Mary, eldest daughter of Patrick and Mary Moran, aged 5 years.

Funeral from residence, on Eighth street bet. E and F, on Sunday at 2 o'clock.

In Pendleton, Dec. 1, Mrs. Lydia Sylvester, aged 61 years.

In McMinnville, Dec 7, Mrs. Mary Baker, aged 26 years.

In Arizona, Nov. 5, by drowning, Durham Hardisty, formerly of Umatilla.

NEW TO-DAY.

Family Blankets. Cradle Blankets, Bed Comforts and Marseilles Quilts, for sale at 107 Third street, by JOHN WILSON.

CRO FINO SALOON.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING DISPOSED OF his interest in the above place of business to RICHARD CLINTON, begs leave to inform his patrons and the public in general that the price of liquors and cigars will hereafter be 12½ cents.
CHAS. W. KNOWLES.

RAY & ANDERSON

OPEN TO NIGHT A SALOON ON CORNER OF Second and Stark streets. We keep the best of

LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

It Free Lunch. All invited.

J. HANSON.

The Danish-Oregon Painter,

HAS NOW ON EXHIBITION FOR THE WINter, a number of OIL PAINTINGS at C. C. Morse's Palace of Art. Will leave to-day for California to return in the spring. It

CAPTAIN'S NOTICE.

BR. SHIP "LUTTERWORTH," CAPT. W. PEARson, from Napier, New Zealand. Neither the Captain nor the undersigned Consignees of the above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.
d9d6t RODGERS, MEYER & CO.

FOR RENT.

SIX SUITS OF HARD-FINISHED ROOMS ON the corner of Front and Washington streets, in Fire-proof building, at from six to eight dollars per month; suitable for offices or private rooms. See
d9d1m DeLASHMUTT & OATMAN.

GRAND OPENING

OF THE

"ARION."

THIS

Saturday Evening.

GERHARD FRANZ,

LATELY OF THE KUENSTLER HALLE, TAKES pleasure in announcing to his friends and the public, that he has opened the "ARION," formerly known as the "N. K. saloon," on Morrison st. between First and Second.

None but the best of

Wines, Beers, Liquors and Cigars,

It Always on hand.

JUST RECEIVED

Per Str. Ajax, at the

MILLINERY ESTABLISHMENT [illegible]

MRS. H. ACH,

DIRECT FROM FRANCE,

The Largest and Best Selected

STOCK OF GOODS

Ever on the Pacific Coast,

SUCH AS

Point Lace Barbes,
Point Lace Collars,
Point Lace Handkerchiefs,
Aplique Lace Hdk'fs,
Aplique Lace Barbe,
Aplique Lace Fichues,
Valencienne Lace Hdk'fs,
Chantilly Lace Shawls,
Chantilly Lace Barbes,
Fichues, Coiffures, Sashes,
Spanish Lace Barbes,
Spanish Lace Fichues,
Maria Laces of all description.
Also, Black and Col'd Silks, Velvets,
Kid Gloves, Etc., Etc.
Colored Silks 17 inches wide, at $1 per yard, worth $3.

And other Goods too numerous to mention. Call and witness the Grand Display in the Window.

I also take pleasure to announce that I have engaged a first class French Dressmaker, and am ready to receive the ladies' orders.

MRS. H. ACH,
Corner Second and Morrison sts.

NOTICE.

TO THE CITIZENS OF WASHINGTON TERRItory and others—I have this day engaged Mr. C. B. FARLEMAN to act as my Agent in Washington Territory for the treatment of Hemorrhoids or Piles, by the "WIGHTMAN PROCESS." Persons suffering from the above terrible disease will do well to call and see him as he visits your towns and cities. Mr. Farleman will be at the Occidental Hotel, Seattle, W. T., on Tuesday, Dec. 12, and stop one week only, and then visit other towns on the Sound.
DR. C. F. WIGHTMAN.
N. B.—Mr. Farleman is perfectly competent, as he treats the disease under my direction. d8d3t

Oregon Furniture M'f'g Co.

COR. FIRST AND YAMHILL STS.

BEDDING.

Spiral Spring Beds, Woven Wire Mattresses, and half a dozen other spring Beds, from $5 to $30, Hair, Moss, Wool, Pulu, Feather and Straw Beds.

Buy your Bedding at this place and you won't get an ounce of second hand material. This Establishment does not rent out Furniture and Bedding, then take the same back and cover with new ticks, and sell AS GOOD AS NEW.

Carpets, Oil Cloths, Wall Paper.

BOOKS! BOOKS!

A LARGE INVOICE OF

Standard and Miscellaneous Bound Books,

Ex Ajax will be sold on SATURDAY, Dec 9th, at Salesroom, at 1 o'clock.
OSCAR KILBOURN, Auctioneer.

NEW GOODS.

Cross & Blackwell's

POTTED

Meats and Pickles.

For sale by
HACHENEY & STEMME,
Dealers in First Class Groceries,
Corner Taylor and First sts.

REMOVED.

LODGERS HAS REMOVED TO HIS NEW Store on First Street, between Main and Madison, where he has opened a fresh Stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's

BOOTS AND SHOES,

and intends to sell them at prices to suit the times. Owing to the little expense I am under, enables me to sell Goods at prices that will

DEFY COMPETITION.

I am also manufacturing Ladies' and Children's WORK to order, which I make a specialty, and will warrant a first class Shoe and a PERFECT FIT or no sale. Give me a call.

AMUSEMENTS.

CHRISTMAS BALL.

The First Annual Ball, under the auspices of

Oneonta Tribe No. 4, Imp. O. R. M.

Will be given at

TURN HALLE,

ON

MONDAY, DEC. 25, 1876.

Honorary Committee.

ELI MORRILL, Sachem, Multnomah No. 3.
A. SCHUMAN, Sachem, Willamette No. 6.
E. J. JEFFERY, Rep. Great Council U. S.
J. B. PILKINGTON, M. D., P. S.
Le F. A. SHAW, Past Great Sachem.
W. H. UTTER, Great District Deputy.
G. FRANZ, P. S.

Committee of Arrangements.

W. A. HART, S. S.,	M. C. BROWN, J. S.,
JAS. C. LIDDY, P.,	H. HYDE, 1st B.,
WM. CHURCH, S.,	

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L. MENDENHALL,	G. KUDSCHER.

Floor Managers.

WM. CHURCH,	H. HYDE,
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THEO. BARKER,	

No expense will be spared to make this the ball of the season.

TICKETS $1 50

Can be procured from Members of the Committee of Arrangements or at the Door.

DANCING SCHOOL.

Prof. D. K. HALPRUNER

Has opened his Dancing School, at

CITY RIFLES HALL.

Children's Classes Saturday afternoon.

GRAND SOIREES, every SATURDAY Evening.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

THE LARGEST STOCK OF

Sugar Toys, Sugar Hearts,
Crystalized Toys and Hearts,
Glazed Toys and Figures,
Fancy Boxes, Cornucopias,
Wax Candles, Candle-holders,
Christmas Tree Ornaments,
Flower and Dove Baskets,
Gelatin Goods,
French and American Candies,
Walnuts, Almonds, Filberts, etc.,
Plum and Ornamental Cakes,
Lebkuchen and Pfeffernuesse,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

AT PRICES THAT DEFY COMPETITION!

Eastern and Shoalwater Bay Oysters,

IN EVERY STYLE,

AT

ZIELSKY & HEGELE'S

Premium Candy Factory,

No. 105 FIRST STREET.

d2d&wlm

School Taxes for 1876,

IN SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1, MULTNOMAH county, are now due and payable, and I am commanded by a warrant from the Board of Directors of said District, dated November 1, 1876, to collect the same within sixty days from the date of said warrant, and a recent law of the Legislature, approved Oct. 20, 1876, makes it my duty to return to the County Clerk the Delinquent List of all Taxes remaining unpaid at that time, and the law further authorizes the County Clerk to issue his warrant (together with the Delinquent List, to the Sheriff, commanding the said Sheriff to collect the same by seizure and sale of property, adding thereto his costs, besides costs of advertising.

Office—88 Front street, with Parrish & Cornell, Real Estate Brokers. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
GEO. W. MURRAY,
Clerk of School District No. 1.

TO MUSIC TEACHERS.

I HAVE RECEIVED SAMPLES OF THE

Chromatic Hand Guide,

Invented by Mr. William Bohrer; endorsed and recommended by the most distinguished Pianists and Piano Professors of Europe and America.

Call and examine. Illustrated Catalogues sent on application.

GRAY'S MUSIC STORE,

Sole Agency for the

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THE BEST ON THE PACIFIC COAST AND THE only one in Portland with

Four Elegant Parlors Attached

For the use of Families and Private Parties.

Whatever Delicacies the market affords will be found at this place. Ladies will find it the most convenient place to lunch while out shopping, where they will have the most polite attention.

Eastern Oysters a Specialty.

OPEN UNTIL 2 O'CLOCK A. M.

Special Auction Sales

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

SALES OF

Fine Watches and Jewelry, Ornamental and Fancy Goods, Paintings and Chromos, and a large variety of Goods suitable for the Holidays. Toys and Fancy Goods direct from the importers, will be sold in lots to suit. Dealers, Societies, Committees and Pater Familias can obtain their Holiday Goods at low rates.

OSCAR KILBOURN, Auctioneer.

HODGE, SNELL & CO.,

Successors to

HODGE, CALEF & CO.,

Dealers in

Drugs, Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Etc., Etc.,

Nos. 73 FRONT and 70 FIRST STREETS,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

STOVES.

SOAP STONE STOVES.

A FEW OF THESE SUPERIOR STOVES, FOR sale by GEO. ABERNETHY,
Second st., bet. Salmon and Taylor.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS KNOWING THEMSELVES TO be indebted to the undersigned, will call at my store, 73 First street, and settle within thirty days, as I am closing up my business.
c2d3t JENNIE MACNAMARA.

BRITISH SHIP "LOCH FLEET."

NEITHER CAPT. ROBERTSON NOR THE UNdersigned Consignees of the above named vessel, will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.
d5d3t HENRY HEWETT & CO.

CAPTAIN'S NOTICE.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERsigned consignees of the Br. Ship "Hiram," will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of said vessel.
d7d6 ALLEN & LEWIS.

CAPTAIN'S NOTICE.

BRITISH BARK "VALE OF DOON," CAPTAIN R. E. Barber, from Callao. Neither the Captain nor the undersigned Consignees of the above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.
12d6t RODGERS, MEYER & CO.

CAPTAIN'S NOTICE.

BRITISH SHIP "SELINE," CAPTAIN RHODES, from Buenos Ayres. Neither the Captain nor the undersigned consignees of the above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.
d5d6t RODGERS, MEYER & CO.

DRY GOODS, MILLINERY, ETC.

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AT

C. F. WIBERG & Co's

NEW

DRY GOODS STORE,

Corner Salmon and First Streets.

A LARGE STOCK OF

DRESS GOODS!

In all the New Shades, at 25c per yd. and upwards.

FINE FRENCH BLACK CASHMERES, 40 in. wide, $1 per yd.

FINE FRENCH COL'D CASHMERES, in all the new shades, at reduced rates.

BLACK ALPACAS, 25c per yd. and upwards.

BLACK and COL'D EXPRESS CLOTHS.

A full Stock of Bleached and Brown SHEETINGS, in all widths.

COTTON and WOOL FLANNELS, at prices below competition.

WATERPROOFS, in Plaids and Plain colors, 75c to $1 25 per yd.

FELT SKIRTS, 75c and upwards.

COTTON and WOOL HOSIERY, all qualities.

A good quality Two-Button KID GLOVE, $1 00 per pair.

Best quality French Two-Button KID GLOVE, $1 50 per pair.

1000 Articles of FANCY GOODS, too numerous to mention.

Ladies' and Gents' FURNISHING GOODS, all prices.

We guarantee our Goods to be just as represented and we DEFY COMPETITION.

C. F. D. WRINKLE & CO.,
Cor. First and Salmon sts.

P. van FRIDAGH,

Dry Goods, Millinery, Notions.

A Complete Stock in Every Department of

Fall and Winter Styles.

LADIES' GENTLEMEN'S & CHILDREN'S UNDERCLOTHING.

s30d2m

At Cost for 30 Days.

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FOR THE

APPROACHING HOLIDAYS!

AT

C. C. BARRETT'S.

Elegantly Bound Gift Books, Standard Works on every Variety of Binding, Family Bibles, Pocket Bibles, Testaments, Prayer Books, Hymn Books, Catholic Prayer Books, Juvenile Toy Books, Games, Alphabet and Building Blocks, in Endless Variety.

Also, call special notice to our Large Stock of

Staple and Fancy Stationery,

Photograph Albums, Writing Desks, Portfolios, Glass Inkstands, Gold Pens and Pencils, Chess Boards, Mens and Women's Chessmen, Russia Leather Portmonnaies, Purses and Wallets, Globes and Maps.

Latest Styles

Paris, Granite & Repp Papeteries

Perpetual Diaries, Reward Cards, Pictures, Opera Glasses, Work Boxes, Fine Pocket Knives, Bank Books, Memorandum and Pass Books.

LARGEST STOCK OF TOYS IN THE CITY, s6d1m

PIONEER SAIL FACTORY.

W. C. NOON,

FRONT AND VINE STREETS,

Boat Sails and Tarpaulins

Made and Repaired.

Fishermen supplied with Boat Sails at lowest rates

Large supply of Ship Duck and Canvas in store.

BOOTS & SHOES

AT COST!

For the Next 30 Days,

AT THE

City Boot and Shoe Store,

43 FIRST STREET.

A. DIELSCHNEIDER is my authorized Agent to conduct and carry on for me said business.
ELIZABETH DIELSCHNEIDER.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

AN IMMENSE STOCK OF

BOOKS,

STATIONERY

and Fancy Goods,

NOW ARRIVING AT

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RICHARD KNOLL,

DEALER IN

PURE WINES AND LIQUORS,

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Opposite Masonic Temple, Portland, Oregon.

A Specialty in J. Gundlach & Co's Celebrated Brands of Wines.

Also, WEINHARD'S BOTTLED BEER.

DODSON
MAKER OF
STENCILS
SEALS
RUBBER STAMPS
ETC.

43 First Street, Portland, Oregon.

NOTICE.

Oregon Steamship Comp'y.

ON AND AFTER THIS DATE NO PERSON will be allowed on the Company's Dock during the landing of passengers and baggage from the San Francisco Steamers without a pass from this office. GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.
Portland, Ogn., Dec. 4, 1876. d4d6t

PACIFIC WOOD YARD,

FOOT OF MAIN STREET,

ALL KINDS OF WOOD CONSTANTLY ON hand, sawed and unsawed, and delivered to any part of the city. R. R. RILEY.

NOTICE.

CAUTION. EVERYBODY NOT TO BUY Wheat Receipt given by us to Doc of H. A. Davis for 1,366 28 100 bushels, and dated October 23, 1876, as we have bought the Wheat.
d6d3t S. & I. SELLER, Harrisburg.

WANTS.

WANTED.

A NURSE GIRL. CALL AT COR. ER OF MORrison and Sixth streets. d7d3t

WANTED.

2,000 TWO THOUSAND DRESSED HOGS, of the best Grain Fed, heavy and light, for which the highest Market Price will be paid, in large or small lots, delivered at the Port House of HARVEY & LARBER,
Portland, Nov. 8, 1876. 8 Main street.

TO LET.

FOR RENT.

TWO ROOMS, FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, with or without board, in a pleasant neighborhood, convenient to business. Address J. A. P., Oregonian office.

TO RENT.

SEVEN ROOMS, IN SUITS or SINGLE rooms, corner of Ash and First streets. Apply to ALEX. ANKENY.

A HOUSE TO RENT.

CORNER OF THIRD AND MARKET STREETS. Enquire at THOMPSON HOUSE, or to L. PARRISH, House Agent.

ROOMS TO LET.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED, WITH OR without Board, cor. Fifth and Jefferson streets. by MARY WETMORE. n10d1m

FIRST CLASS ROOMS TO RENT BY THE DAY or week, with the accommodation of the Parlors. Cor. Front and Ash sts. o21d

FOR SALE.

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THE STORE AND DWELLING NOW OCCUpied by Mr. Bean, at Freeport, Cowlitz county, W. T., together with the Stock and Fixtures. A person with small capital can do a safe and profitable business at this place. d7d&wlm

FOR SALE.

PARTIES ENGAGED IN THE BUSINESS CAN find a well selected stock of Winter Hats, Bonnets and Trimmings, with a good assortment of Flowers and Fancy Notions. Also, Counters, Shelving and Cases, will be offered for the next thirty days low for cash. Address Mrs. E. E. PARSONS 185 Third street, or box 47. s24d

FARM FOR SALE.

SITUATED ON THE COLUMBIA RIVER, TWO miles below Switzer's landing, opposite Vancouver, and only 7 miles from Portland. The Farm consists of 320 acres, part in cultivation and a good stock range, besides an excellent orchard. On the Farm are a dwelling, barn and warehouse in good condition. Also, good water. The Stock includes 30 head of cattle, six cows, two work horses, sheep and hogs, in addition to farming utensils complete. Will be sold on reasonable figures. Apply on the premises. n16d1m W. STEPHENS.

FOR SALE.

CHEVEZ'S FINE FAMILY HORSE; One Buggy and Harness; One Basket Phaeton, two seats; Two Saddles. Apply to D. S. HARRINGTON, at S. Metzger & Co.'s, 6 Front street. n16d1m

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

IN LEWIS COUNTY, W. T., ONE STORE BUILDing and Stock of Goods, Hay Shed and Stock in Warehouse, at Cowlitz Station, N. P. R. R. Going Pearl's Lewis county. 320 acres of good Wild Bottom Land on Cowlitz River, very light growth of timber. 5 acres of Land 1½ mile north of Chehalis station. For particulars and terms enquire of James L. COLDWELL & CO., Portland, Orn. or GEO. F. HOGUE, Claquato, Lewis Co., W. T.

Toys! Toys! and Fancy Goods!

F. DITTENHOEFER,

N. W. COR. THIRD AND WASHINGTON STS.,

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO HIS Large and well Selected Stock of

HOLIDAY GOODS

consisting of

FANCY GOODS, [illegible]

[illegible]

WORK BOXES,

DOLLS [illegible]

[illegible] descriptions,

[illegible] TOYS,

OAK WAGONS, [illegible] of all Kinds.

TOYS, too numerous to mention.

All of which I am offering to the trade

AT REDUCED RATES.

Country Dealers are requested to examine my stock before purchasing.

[illegible] & GIRMAN,

96 First Street, between Stark and Oak,

PORTLAND, OREGON,

Manufacturers, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

FURS.

Have a Complete Stock of

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Furs,

In great variety from the costly RUSSIA SABLE down to the cheap French Coney.

An Extra Fine Quality of

SEAL & MINK SACQUES.

A Large Assortment of

FUR TRIMMINGS.

A Line of

BUCK AND BUFFALO ROBES.

Every Article Guaranteed.

All of which will be sold at extremely LOW FIGURES. o21d3m

KARL SESLIG & CO.,

Importers & Wholesale Dealers in

Fine Liquors, Wines & Cigars.

WE BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT WE HAVE this day been appointed Sole Agents for Jesse Moore & Co.'s Louisville, Kentucky, celebrated

WOOL MEN'S WHISKIES,

which we import directly from the Manufacturers, and are therefore able to offer them to the trade at Greatly Reduced Rates.

Jesse Moore & Co's brands of Whiskies are considered to be the Purest and Best in the Market, and no Drug Store, Saloon or Family should be without them. KARL SESLIG & CO.
N. W. cor. Second and Morrison sts.

SANTA CLAUS' EMPORIUM.

TOYS TOYS TOYS!

WILLIAM BECK & SON

Have just received the finest Stock of

TOYS & FANCY GOODS

in the State, consisting of all the latest Novelties of the [illegible]

Corner Front and Alder Streets.

JAPAN TEA.

THE CELEBRATED

BRAND

HAS THE MOST EXTENDED REPUTATION of any Tea consumed on the Pacific Coast.

For sale by all Tea Dealers in California, and at Wholesale in Portland, Oregon, by ALLEN & LEWIS and W. S. LEVERIDGE & CO.

C. ADOLPHE LOW & CO.,
n6d1m&w3m Importers, San Francisco.

FOR TILLAMOOK!

THE SCHOONER

KATIE L. HERON,

Will receive FREIGHT on and after to-day, Dec 12. For particulars apply to EVERDING & FARRELL.

DR. WILSON'S

OFFICE REMOVED TO HIS NEW ROOMS AT Masonic Temple, and Fourth streets, entrance on B street.

AUCTION AND COMMISSION.

A. B. RICHARDSON,
AUCTIONEER
COR. OF FRONT AND OAK STS.

Auction Sales
REAL ESTATE, GROCERIES, GENERAL MER-
CHANDISE AND HORSES.
[illegible]le Days---Wednesday and Saturday

At Private Sale,
[illegible]ge assortment of GROCERIES and LIQUORS.
Liberal advances made on Consignments.
[illegible] to parties declining Housekeeping, I will [illegible]
[illegible]at I will purchase Second-Hand Furniture.
A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

Regular and Peremptory Sale
OF
JEWELRY,
[illegible]urniture, Groceries, General
Merchandise, Etc.,
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1876,
At 10 o'clock A. M.,
BEDROOM, DININGROOM AND [illegible]
[illegible]RNITURE.
ALSO,
200 bxs CANDLES.
175 bxs SOAP.
150 cs OLIVE OIL.
75 hlf bbls SUGAR.
A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

INSURANCE.

North British and Mercantile
Fire Insurance Co.,
OF LONDON AND EDINBURGH.

[illegible]APITAL.........$ [illegible]
Reserve and Surplus Fund, Jan. 1st, 1875 [illegible]
Total [illegible]
Premium Receipts, 1875 [illegible]
Losses Paid in United States, 8 years [illegible]

EDWARD HALL, Gen'l Agent,
Ankeny's Block, First Street.

OREGON BRANCH
HOME MUTUAL
Fire Insurance Company

[illegible]apital, ... $ [illegible]
[illegible]ssets, ... $[illegible]
Income, 1875, ... [illegible]
Losses paid since Organization $1,137,[illegible]

HAMILTON BOYD,
MANAGER,
73 First Street, Portland, Oregon.

UNION
Insurance Company
[illegible]
Capital, (PAID IN GOLD COIN,) - $750,[illegible]
Assets, exceed - $1,000,[illegible]
BRANCH OFFICE FOR OREGON,
First National Bank Building, Portland
W. S. CALDWELL, Agent

THE STATE
Investment & Insurance
COMPANY,
OF SAN FRANCISCO.
FIRE AND MARINE
Incorporated in 1871.
Cash Assets, - $475,[illegible]
OFFICERS:
PETER DONAHUE, A. J. BRYANT,
President. Vice President.
CHARLES L. CUSHING, Secretary.

This Company has no connection with any insurance combination; its business is transacted at the Lowest Paying Rates; each risk being taken according to its own merits.

The undersigned, having been appointed General Agents for the above Company, are now prepared to accept applications and issue Policies for Fire and Marine Risks at equitable rates.

A. P. HOTALING & CO.,
Office—85 Front street, Portland.
General Agents for Oregon and Washington Territory.
N. B.—Agents wanted throughout the State and Territory.

R. J. [illegible]AN[illegible]N & [illegible]
IMPORTERS AND
Commission Merchants
AGENTS FOR LLOYD'S.
OFFER FOR SALE
TENNENT'S ALE, pints and quarts.
McEWAN'S " "
IND COOPE & CO'S ALE, pints and quarts.
Blood, Wolfe & Co's ALE and PORTER, pints and quarts.
Guinness' STOUT, pints.
RED CASE GIN, (Nyabende & Sons brand.)
Hennessey, Martell and Jules Robin BRANDIES, in case and bulk.
Scotch and Irish WHISKIES, in case and bulk.
DRY PRIVATE CUVEE CHAMPAGNE, pints and quarts.
The Finest SHERRIES, in bulk, imported to this market, all at reduced prices.
CURRY POWDER and CURRANTS.
SAUCES.
SALAD and COD LIVER OILS.
EPSOM SALTS and CITRATE OF MAGNESIA.
SAGO and TAPIOCA.
CORN BRUISERS, CHAIN and [illegible] BARROWS.
PIANOS.
PAINTS and VARNISHES.
CHLORIDE OF LIME and SODA ASH.
WHEAT & OAT SACKS and HESSIAN.
Seaming and Roping TWINE.

200 Each of 11 & 12 ft. Page's [illegible]

Best Eastern [illegible]
FOR SALE LOW.

Shelf and Builders' Hardware
MECHANICS' TOOLS
&c., &c., at
JOHN R. FOSTER'S
67 FRONT STREET, CORNER [illegible]

[illegible]
MRS. E. S. WASS.
No. 50 Morrison St., Butterick's Pattern Agency
HAS JUST RECEIVED A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT of HAIR GOODS, which she is offering at astonishingly reasonable prices.
Price List—Finest Quality Hair Switches

22 inches	2½ ounces weight	[illegible]
24 "	3 "	
26 "	3½ "	
26 "	4 "	
28 "	4½ "	
30 "	5 "	

A handsome collection of CURLS in [illegible]
The Margarita Wave is the latest novelty [illegible]
She begs to announce that having made [illegible] ments with a first class Wig maker, she [illegible] to receive orders for every kind of Wig, [illegible]

NOTICE.
WHEREAS, MY WIFE, HORTENSE SU[illegible] land, has left my bed and board [illegible] any cause or provocation, I do hereby [illegible] public against trusting her on my account [illegible] this date, Dec. 7th, 1876.
JOSEPH SUTHE[illegible]
d8d5t

[illegible] Oregonian.
[SATUR]DAY MORNING, DEC. 9, 1876.

CITY.

[illegible]—Our evening cotemporary devotes a good deal of space to a somewhat sensational account of "spiritual manifestations" [which] are alleged to take place nightly at a [house] situated near the base of Robinson['s hill], occupied by a family named Miller. [From] the account furnished it appears that [every] night a shower of stones fall on and [about] the house, greatly to the annoyance of [the] occupants, who have devised various [plans] to catch the perpetrators and chastise [them]. All efforts thus far made have resulted [unsatisfa]ctorily. Although due vigilance was [exercis]ed, no one could be detected in the [illegible] of throwing rocks at the [house. Ne]arly every night the building [was pelte]d with stones, hurled by invisible [hands, unt]il all the windows in the house was [broken]. At length the annoyance became [so intol]erable that Mr. Miller and his family [were co]mpelled to desert the house. Mr. Miller, [we] are made to understand, is a spiritualist, [and] his friends are convinced that [the] nocturnal missiles came from "spirit [land]." The "spirits" in our humble judgment [are] more corporeal than ethereal, and [are] no more nor less than a crowd of [boys] who congregate on the bluff above [and throw] stones down on the building. For [some time] past Mr. Miller and his spiritualist friends have been in the habit [of meeting] at his house and holding [illegible] "seances." It is more than [likely] the boys in the vicinity became [disgusted] with the proceedings held at Mr. [Miller's] and chose the method mentioned [to show] their disbelief and want [illegible]. [When] the mystery is ferreted [out we] warrant that the imagined [spirits] are nothing but street Arabs.

[ROBBERY]—Thursday afternoon the residence of Mr. C. W. Bryant, about three miles from Oswego, in [illegible] county, at a place known as Spring [illegible] was burglarized. Mr. Bryant was at his barn during the afternoon, and [his wife] went out on a visit to a neighbor's, [leaving the] house deserted for a few hours. [Returning] home late in the afternoon, Mrs. [Bryant] was surprised to find one of the doors [open,] and the house ransacked from top to [bottom. Everything] about the premises was [illegible], and was in a state of confusion. It was soon ascertained [that the thief] got away with about $100 [which was] in the house at the time. Mr. Bryant [is] clerk of the school district in which he lives. A few days ago he [went to] Oregon City and drew the money allotted to that district, which was about $200. [No term] of school being taught, [he] kept that sum in his house, never [dreaming] his premises would be burglarized. Mr. Bryant is in rather limited circumstances, and the loss sustained will fall rather [heavily upon him]. He came to this city Thursday [and] notified the police here, but no clue has been obtained of the perpetrators of the robbery.

CHRISTMAS CAROL.—The Unitarian Sunday School have secured New Market [Theater] for their charming Christmas entertainment, which they feel assured will give [pleasure to all] who attend Saturday evening. [illegible] Reading of the Carol in seven [parts] by Mr. L. P. Henderson, with the following tableaux as illustrations, produced [with appropriate] scenery: 1. Scrooge and [Marley's] Ghost. 2. Scrooge and the Child. [3.] The Cratchit Family's Christmas. [4.] Blind-man's-buff at the Christmas [party]. 5. Old Joe's Junk Shop. 6. [illegible] 7. The Happy Cratchit [illegible] the Philanthropist, [illegible]. Tickets to be [had at] [illegible] Snell & Co's, Morse's [illegible], J. K. Gill's, Clarke & Henderson's and other prominent stores in the city.

[ART]—There are on exhibition at [illegible] First street, a number of [paintings] from the brush of Mr. [illegible] Hansen, [the well-k]nown Danish artist of Oregon. [They] embrace views on the Columbia [river, Willamette] valley and Puget Sound, [illegible] several paintings. For the past [illegible] Mr. Hansen has traveled extensively [in th]is State and Washington Territory, [making sketches] of some of the most [beautiful] scenery and transferring them at his [leisure to canvas]. The pictures will remain [on exhibition] but a short time during the present winter, [as he takes] passage on the outgoing [steamer, to] remain in San Francisco [illegible] then return to Oregon, where [he will follow] his profession. Several years [ago] one of his large paintings [illegible].

VALUABLE ARTICLES LOST.—Hon. A. J. [illegible], [on] leaving the up train at Salem, [illegible] left in his seat a small [package] containing a pair of linen pillow slips [and a] silver teaspoon, which could be of [little] value to any one, but which articles are [prized by] the owner of them, the linen cloth [being spun] and woven by hand over a [hundred years] ago and held as an heirloom [by those] who committed them to his charge. [If the finder] will return them to Villamette [Hotel] at Salem, by express or by mail, it will [be] a great favor. Other papers are [requested] to publish this item.

[FOR SAN] FRANCISCO.—The steamer Ajax [sailed] for San Francisco this morning at 6 [o'clock]. She carries hence a full freight and [the following] passengers: L. L. Brownwell, [illegible] J. Manzer, Capt. J. H. Upshur, [illegible] Gorman, J. A. Farrel, [illegible] Kan[illegible], [illegible] Baldridge, M. Kane, N. W. Call[illegible], Mrs. C. Stanton and child, [illegible] P. Warren, R. M. McKay, [illegible], J. F. Foster, Mrs. E. B. Scott, [illegible], Wells, Fargo & Co's messenger; [illegible] Mayo, A. Scott, J. S. Brown, [illegible] G. Rotherman, J. O'Brien, J. [illegible] Leach and wife.

[EARTHQUAKE.]—T. J. Reeder, of Pekin, W. [T., states] that on Wednesday night about a [quarter to] [illegible] the people were startled by a [loud] noise, dying away to a rumbling [sound,] followed by a trembling of the earth. [The noise] lasted about half a minute, but the [shock] was of only a few seconds' duration. A [moment] or two before a bright meteor shot [through] the air in a northwesterly direction. [The cause] of noise and shock has not been [explained,] and is thought to have been an [earthquake]. Twice before this fall there have [been] shocks.

[WEATHER] REPORT.—From the records of the [Signal] Station of Observation, Portland, [Or.], Dec. 8, 1876:

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
[illegible]meter	30,090	30,150	30,100
[illegible] elev.	30,242	30,182	30,220
[illegible]	35	38	32
[Hum]idity	89	90	100
[illegible]	SW	NW.	NW.
[illegible]		8	4
[illegible]	Foggy.	Clear.	Clear.
[Max. Temp.]			39°
[Min.] Temp.			28°

[SHIPPING.]—The fine British ship Nova is [now] at the berth at Corbitt & Macleay's wharf [loading a] cargo of wheat for Europe. As [soon] as the Nova completes her cargo, the [illegible] will commence receiving grain [at] the same dock. Both these vessels are under charter to Messrs. Corbitt & Macleay.

[SECULAR] ASSOCIATION.—The regular 2 o'clock [meeting] in Good Templar's Hall to-morrow, [will discuss] the proposition "that all schools [support]ed either wholly or in part by taxation should be purely secular." At 1:30 P. M. [illegible] Harvey will give a lay sermon in verse, "The Rule of Right."

[ADVANCE] IN FLOUR.—Flour was advanced [illegible] dollars per barrel for wholesale rates on [Mon]day, and yesterday was further advanced to six dollars and one-fourth per barrel, with an upward tendency, along with [other] quotations.

LIST OF LETTERS.—The following letters remain uncalled for at Wells, Fargo & Co.'s office: [illegible] Harvey S. Brown, Mrs. Belle Bryant, [illegible] Clark, A. Glubetch, S. Henman, Wm. [illegible]

[illegible] Hats and of the latest styles, call at [illegible] 111 Front street.

[illegible] and boys clothing at Kohn's.

[For] the finest jewelry go to B. L. Stone's.

[When] you want a tip top lunch interview [go to] the Market.

SPECIAL CHURCH NOTICES.

Plymouth Sabbath School, corner of Fourteenth and E streets, meet at 3 P. M. A full attendance desired as we want to make arrangements for Christmas celebration.

Rev. Mr. May will hold service at the Synagogue Beth Israel to-morrow at 8 o'clock P. M. He will deliver a discourse on the subject, "Chanakah, Weihefest or Weihnachten, or Christmas."

Unitarian Church.—Rev. E. I. Galvin will preach Sunday forenoon at 11. Subject—"The Helping Hand versus The Condemning Spirit in the Restoration of Sinners." Evening service at 7½. Subject—"The Irrepressible Conflict." All are cordially invited.

Rev. Dr. Fridrichsen will hold lectures on Genesis in Norwegian language next Sunday, and also in the future at 3 o'clock, P. M., and will preach on the prescribed Gospel at 7 o'clock, P. M.; all in the basement of the First Presbyterian Church of Portland.

Rev. D. J. Pierce will preach in the Baptist church on Fourth and Alder streets, at 11 A. M., subject, a talk with Sunday school scholars and Bible students about the Bible, its origin and use. Bible reading at 7 o'clock, upon love as a motive power in the universe.

Public worship and preaching the gospel at the Presbyterian Church, conducted by the pastor, A. L. Lindsley, to-morrow morning and evening. Subject in the evening—"Some views of the Centennial Exposition of the Industry of all Nations," a lecture designed for workers in every department.

First Congregational Church, corner Second and Jefferson—services morning and evening, conducted by Rev. J. H. Acton. Evening service will be the reception of new members into the church and the communion of the Lord's supper. Seats free. Strangers are cordially invited. Sabbath school half-past 12.

Taylor Street M. E. Church. Preaching to-morrow by the Pastor Rev. C. V. Anthony at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Subject in the morning, "Give Attendance to Reading." In the evening, "We Know in Part." Sunday School at 2 P. M. Young People's prayer meeting on Thursday evening. All are cordially invited.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE "BOHEMIAN GIRL."—Balfe's charming opera in two acts was rendered last evening at New Market Theater to a large, fashionable and, from indications, we should judge, a thoroughly appreciative audience. It is needless to add that this beautiful opera, sparkling with so many musical gems, and abounding in situations and incidents charming and pathetic, was rendered in a felicitous manner. Miss Clara Thompson personated the *role* of "Arline," Miss Winston "Gipsey Queen," H. Bracy, "Thaddeus," E. Farley, "Count Arnheim," A. H. Bell, "Devil's Hoof." The performance gave entire satisfaction—even to the most critical—a more delighted audience is seldom seen. Following "The Bohemian Girl," and concluding the evening's entertainment, the celebrated Prison Act from Offenbach's "La Perichole," was rendered, which sent everyone away well pleased. At 2 o'clock this afternoon a matinee performance will be given for the accommodation of the ladies and little people. By particular request, Offenbach's "La Grand Duchess" will be rendered. This evening Lecocq's celebrated opera comique, "Girofle Girofla," will be produced. "La Fille de Madame Angot" is underlined for Monday. We are gratified to note that a very noticeable increase in the attendance was observable last night, and hope that jammed houses may greet this afternoon and evening's performances.

THE COURTS.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK, J.

FRIDAY, Dec. 8, 1876.

L. Kiernan vs. Frank Gatens; decision of clerk allowing plaintiff bill of costs and disbursements affirmed.

Chas. Bartel, adm'r, vs Adam Lape; motion for new trial overruled; motion for judgment notwithstanding the verdict overruled; five days allowed to file bill of exception.

W. H. Adams vs Multnomah county; decision of the county court affirmed.

John Rintaub vs Wm. Dellinger; cause dismissed.

John Catlin vs James Loomis; objection amended, argued and submitted.

Joseph Bauer vs Alonzo Gates; writ of review argued and submitted.

Chas. Bartel vs Adam Lape; judgment on the verdict.

Court adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

EUGENE ITEMS.

Our correspondent at Eugene sends the following under date of Dec. 8th:

Wheat 93½ @94.

Hon. W. H. Odell will leave for Washington next Monday.

The firemen of this city have resolved to give their annual ball on Christmas.

Mr. DuBois, of Albany, has purchased the Astor House, and will henceforth play the host.

Five cases of smallpox are reported on Spencer creek, eight miles west of Eugene. A mystery attaches itself to these cases, as to the manner in which they became exposed to the disease, this being the only place where it was prevalent, and all cases here were discharged fully six weeks before theirs broke out.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Grand opening of the "Arion" this (Saturday) evening, by Gerhard Franz.

Ladies are requested to read the announcement of Mrs. H. Ach, of the "City of Paris Store," corner Morrison and Second streets. She has just received a magnificent stock of goods by the *Ajax*. Call and see her assortment.

We call attention to the advertisement of Messrs. C. W. Knowles and Richard Clinton. These gentlemen have assumed copartnership relations in the management of Oro Fino Saloon. Price of drinks reduced to the usual rates. Give them a call.

BRIEF NOTES.

Matinee.

Crisp and cold.

"Girofle, Girofla" to-night.

Good time for clsters and fire.

The *Ocean Spray* will be sold this day at 11 o'clock, by the U. S. marshal. Kilbourn, auctioneer.

Mr. Geo. Woodward has been appointed assignee of the Oregon Iron Works Co., adjudged bankrupts.

At home are Gus. Miller & Co. to-night at the Germania.

What is better for a present than jewelry? The best at Stone's.

Gents' woolen gloves fifty cents per pair at Kohn's.

Your sister will want a present. Get it at B. L. Stone's.

Must be closed out—the stock at B. L. Stone's, jeweler.

The finest assortment of Hats and Caps can be found at Meussdorffer's.

Pacific Boot and Shoe House have just received a large lot of new and stylish goods per steamer Ajax, comprising some of the best work ever brought to this city, and need only to be seen to be appreciated. Give them a call, and they will be most happy to show you their beautiful goods.

J. N. Crabb will sell pools on Friday, 8th December, at the Cosmopolitan Saloon, on the great four-mile and repeat race, to be ran at San Francisco December 9th. Will have the first dispatches of each heat run.

Mrs. B. A. Owens, M. D., Office and residence, east side First street, between Yamhill and Taylor. Special attention given to Women and Children complaints. Also gives Medicated Vapor Baths, combined with Electricity, in treating Rheumatism and Chronic Diseases.

Having purchased the interest of W. H. Andrus, Esq., in the Occidental Hotel, I will be happy to meet my friends in future at this house.
THOMAS SMITH.

Know all people by these presents that I, *Santa Claus*, arrived per steamer *Geo. W. Elder*, and have left my *budget of Toys* and Christmas Presents with Wm. Beck & Son, for distribution in the city of Portland.
SANTA CLAUS.

Dr. Halpruner, chiropodist, is prepared to receive persons at his office, No. 105 First street, for the treatment of all complaints of the feet. Corns, bunions, etc., operated on; also feet treated by the month or year.

GALLANT AND HUMANE CONDUCT OF CAPT. CLEMENTS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

In simple justice, and from grateful hearts, we the undersigned, passengers on the tug *Gen. Canby*, at the time of the disaster of recent date, wish to add to a good attempt of "E. C. H.," your regular correspondent, and tell the people of Oregon that, but for the genuine American pluck, the chivalrous hearted nature, and, mark you, the thorough seamanship of Capt. Clements, God only knows where we might have been. The tug *Canby*, under her master, was coming over the bar. We were bound up in the belief that under the Captain's instructions we could make the transit. Now, sir, we are thankful to a sailorman, for it proved we could not, and had he not held us in a grip coming only from the true sailor, yes, for 14 hours, making to windward,—the town here would have been in general mourning. We are told that Capt. Clements deprecates anything like praise. Why, sir, it is the natural action of any sailorman, raised where he was; but we intend to have the fact of our rescue nailed down tight, so that an intelligent public shall see just where this young man was heroic.

We started from Shoalwater Bay, and at 2 P. M., December 2d, attempted to cross the bar—a rough bar—without even an excuse for sail, other than a jib. She (the *Canby*) under the direction of her master pointed for the seething, foaming breakers on the bar. In her exposed position it is now no wonder we were struck by a sea. But E. C. H. does not tell the sequel. It was a strong ebb tide, and but for that fact our destruction was certain. The sea which boarded us generally demoralized the entire boat, even putting out our fires, hence leaving us entirely at the mercy of chances. We had but a jib and could not claw off shore. Now we have a man bring a sailing vessel in such tempestuous weather within one mile of the breakers and take us to him. How can we be otherwise than thankful to him? We had not a rope or line of any kind, even our anchors were gone, and this noble hearted sailor man comes beating to windward, in imminent peril for himself and crew, for he is a sailing ship, and takes us in tow, sending his boat with his first officer to take us aboard him, and actually towing us with ebb tide clear of the surf. Our steamer got us off shore and held us till assistance came from town. Had not Captain Clements staid by us we certainly must have perished.

It is sad to think of the loss of the young child, a daughter of Mrs. Jordan, and the responsibility of her death remains in the hands of the Coroner to decide. But looking to living issues, the heroic action of Capt. Clements is something so unusual, even in emergencies, that we cannot refrain from having the people of Oregon know just who are conducting their coastwise trade.

We were in tow of the *Whistler* fourteen hours, having parted our hawser and having received from Capt. Clements a new one belonging to his ship, we held to him safely, thank God! until the tug came to our rescue. A good illustration of the chances of life in such an emergency is offered by the case of Mr. Smith's child, who was swept out of the window by the same sea which took Mrs. Jordan's child, but held to the boat by her little dress being caught in a hinge of the window, an almost miraculous occurrence, thereby saving her life.

Mr. Editor, the questions of salvage, of towage, or anything else connected with this sad affair, does not concern us. We only want to show our grateful thanks to young Captain Clements for our delivery, and we hereby earnestly thank him from the bottom of our hearts. We feel our delivery to have been due to his efforts alone, and hence we feel naturally kind to him. Please publish this in justice to him.

SYDNEY V. SMITH,
MARTHA SMITH,
For the passengers of the *Canby*.

Gents' overcoats at Kohn's Clothing Palace.

Meussdorffer is always having something new; it is the Custom Hat now.

Mr. J. B. Brouillette, Arcade saloon, has just received on the steamer *Ajax* a large assortment of fine cigars.

Captains and pilots will note the fact that Peter Wilhelm has fitted up two rooms for their especial use at the Fountain, corner Ash and First streets. English papers on file, and everything cosy.

It is a matter of surprise how uniform in quality the Nob e Whisky runs, which is explained by the fact that none is shipped from the distillery warehouse less than 4 years old.—*Wine Circular*.

W. L. ADAMS, M. D., A. M., LL.D., corner of First and Salmon streets, is curing the most inveterate chronic diseases of all kinds at a low price, by medicated, electro lightning cream baths, and by combining the German and French with the American improved practice, mixed with a little common sense. His treatment is, in the main, entirely original, and works almost miracles, as his numerous patients will attest. Is extraordinarily successful in treating female complaints.

Sore eyes speedily relieved. The worst form of piles cured, and the most malignant cancers eradicated root and branch without the use of the knife, or the money refunded.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

The copartnership existing between Joe Oppenheimer and Henry Ackerman, better known as Ackerman's Dollar Store, will be dissolved January 1, 1877. It is imperatively necessary that our stock be disposed of before that time. It being a very large and complete one, comprising in the main elegant Holiday Presents, Crockery, Glass and Fine Plated Ware, it will be readily seen that great sacrifices must be made to dispose of it all within the time set.

The attention of the public, and especially of dealers throughout the State, is called to the above.

ACKERMAN'S DOLLAR STORE.

RETURNED FROM [illegible]

Dr. Halpruner has returned to the city from a professional trip up the valley. Persons suffering with any complaints of the feet can have the same treated on or about the 4th or 5th. The Doctor will have his office finished in Amsty & Hegey's new building, 105 First street.

CHIROPODIST.

It has been long needed here to have a good chiropodist permanently located where the people can go and have their feet put in good repair. This city has one who has located himself permanently, and who is undoubtedly one of the most skilled chiropodists we ever heard of. With his wonderful medical discoveries he always gives perfect satisfaction, and his prices are quite reasonable.

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NOTICE.
The undersigned in taking leave of Portland returns all sincere thanks for the liberal patronage that has been bestowed, and would bespeak for his successors a continuance of the same.
Both DRS. BARBER & NICKLIN, are gentlemen in every way competent and worthy of any confidence that may be placed in them, and as such I can conscientiously recommend them to my former friends and patrons. J. H. HATCH.

GEO. H. CHANCE. J. WELCH.
CHANCE & WELCH,
Dentists,
Office—FIRST STREET,
(Odd Fellows' Temple.)

PROGRESS CLUB ROOMS.
I have taken charge of the Progress Club Rooms, and cordially invite the former guests of the Club and my acquaintances. Lunch from 12 to 1 P. M. The fine Hall and Rooms will be rented to Clubs, also for Private Parties, Balls, etc.
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OREGON.

H. Zelinsky, of Eastport, was thrown from his horse at Breckman's on the 1st, and had his leg broken.

The bulk of the wheat in the Corvallis warehouses has been all sold at prices ranging from 60 to 80 cents per bushel.

The interior of the Utter mine is said to be on fire, and Mr. Grow has been for some days engaged in efforts to extinguish it.

The wheat stored in the Booneville warehouse, above Corvallis, is nearly all sold, and averaged about 80 cents per bushel.

The amount of witness fees claimed in the case of the State vs M. Emerick, in Umatilla, for killing Gordon, amounted to $865 20.

"Coyotile Ben" has begun a second term in the penitentiary for five years. He goes up this time for stealing a horse in Benton county.

Following are the officers elect for Sheridan Lodge, No. 64, F. & A. M.: P. M. Scroggins, W. M.; H. W. Lamson, S. W.; R. G. Dyer, J. W.; L. Mayer, T.; H. Z. Foster, S.; J. T. Stanfield, T.

The annual meeting of the Clackamas county Bible Society will be held at the Congregational church next Sunday evening. Rev. Mr. Hetzel will preach a sermon suitable for the occasion.

The farmers of Benton county are very busy plowing and sowing winter wheat. A large area of wheat will be sown within the next week or two, should the weather remain as it is at present.

The Benton *Democrat* is mistaken in saying that the "Governor heard evidence and arguments on both sides" in the Watts case. He heard no evidence at all and arguments only on the Democratic side.

John Orth picked a piece of gold weighing about a dollar out of one of the walls of the brick building in Jacksonville, where it was doubtless inadvertantly placed by the bricklayer, being mixed with the mortar.

More amalgamating pans have been added to the Esther mill on Grave creek. These pans will permit the saving of all the gold and silver in the ore reduced by the mill, and will prove a great source of profit to the stockholders.

The *Enterprise* says: A young man named Shoat, living near Needy, in Clackamas county, has broken out with smallpox, and ten or fifteen persons have been exposed. The exposed persons have been placed in quarantine.

It is certain that the smallpox in a more or less virulent form is prevalent through the various portions of the State, and it behooves every one to prepare to stand it off. Vaccination is a good preventive and no one should neglect it.

The survey of the Umatilla reservation has been completed by Deputy U. S. Surveyor Simmons. The line was incorrect, and has been so changed by the new survey that the houses in Pendleton supposed to be on the reservation have been thrown outside the line.

Wm. Eaton was robbed at Rock Point, Jackson county, one night last week, after he had retired. The thief cut off his pocket containing expense money for three teams to Roseburg and back, amounting to about $[illegible], in the most scientific manner and without awakening him.

The following officers of Lafayette Lodge, F. & A. M., were elected last Friday evening to serve the ensuing year: H. R. Little, W. M.; E. P. Power, S. W.; R. R. Daniel, J. W.; W. R. Derby, T.; G. O. Robinson, S.; Frank Martin, T. They will be installed on the 27th inst., at 7 P. M., in the presence of Masons and their families and invited guests.

The Corvallis *Gazette* has taken a new departure—having been merged into a corporation. The articles of incorporation are signed by Dr. [illegible] B. Lee, James A. Yantis, and W. E. Carter, and have been duly filed according to law. The capital stock of the company is fixed at $2,000, in shares of $50 each. The new company will take full control on the 1st of January, 1877.

From the Oregon City *Enterprise*: [illegible] Davis returned last week from the celebrated silver mud springs in Wasco county. From all that we could learn from the gentleman, we should judge that he is not very favorably impressed with the "bonanza." He brought six lots of this mud to be assayed by Mr. Hurley, and two lots of which have been assayed contain no trace of silver, and the rest will probably give the same result. As we stated before, the ore assayed by Mr. Hurley last week, was furnished by the owners of the bonanza.

Tom Mickey, on Wednesday, in attempting to cross the Umatilla river at Pendleton just below the bridge, met with a serious loss. The river was swollen considerably from the late rains, and besides the bottom at the ford was washed out very much, making the water nearly swimming deep for his mules. The off-wheel mule, known by all teamsters on the road as "Toby," being one of the best in the county and worth $275, got off her feet, sank and was drowned. The trail wagon was tipped over by the strong current and a few sacks of oats and other personal property washed away. Tom's loss was about $300.

The Yamhill *Reporter* says: At a meeting of the board of directors of the Yamhill and Cape Lookout Wagon Company, on the 21st inst., it was decided to complete this road at the earliest possible time, and have it in good traveling condition by next summer. This road will open a new region to settlers in the Nestucka country and the great fishing [grounds] on that stream, making them easy of access for the outside world. The road also passes through the greatest blackberry region on the Coast Range, and parties already contemplate making quite a stake from this source during next summer. This, together with the fishing advantages offered by the famous trout stream, and easy access to Tillamook Bay, will make it the best route for excursionists and pleasure seekers that there is in Oregon the coming summer.

CHAS. E. BRAY,
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Will furnish Balls and Parties with Music of first quality, as heretofore. Leave orders at SHERMAN & HYDE'S, or at residence Fourth and Morrison streets.

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Opposite Shoenbrun's Block, has on hand and for sale a large assortment of fine Cigars, Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, the best, cheapest and largest assortment in the city. Call, judge for yourself, and be convinced that I give more satisfaction for your money than any other retail store here.
98 FIRST STREET.

August Flower
The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than seventy-five per cent of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects: such as Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Costiveness, Palpitation of the Heart, Heart-burn, Water-brash, Gnawing and Burning Pains at the Pit of the Stomach, Yellow Skin, Coated Tongue and Disagreeable Taste in the Mouth, Coming up of Food after Eating, Low Spirits, etc. Go to your Druggist and get a Sample Bottle for 10c., large size 75 cents. Try it—Two doses will relieve you. Agents Crane & Brigham, Wholesale Druggists, San Francisco.

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AT
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IN THEIR
New and Elegant Brick Store
N. W. COR. OF
YAMHILL AND SECOND STREETS.
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NEWEST and DESIRABLE Styles
BOOTS & SHOES
FRESHEST AND BEST
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And Everything requisite in a First Class Establishment.
REMARKABLE, BUT TRUE!
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The Immense Stock
We have in Store, for we have spared no possible exertions to present those who favor us with their patronage, with the Most
Complete and Freshest Goods
that could be procured in the
Leading Markets of the World
And feeling assured that our Display will be
EMINENTLY SUPERIOR
to any similar event in this city, we cordially invite THE PUBLIC to an inspection of our New Establishment.
OUR MOTTO
Is, that by strict attention to business and fair dealings with all our customers we will endeavor to secure the confidence and patronage of all; and the Public may feel certain that our prices will be always
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We are now in receipt, per Steamer "Ajax," of an Elegant Lot of Seventy-five CLOAKS direct from New York, consisting of all the Latest Styles and Novelties.
ALSO, TEN PIECES
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A Beautiful Lot of NEW TIES, CARDINAL CUFFS and COLLARS, SLIPPER PATTERNS, Etc., Etc.
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HAS TAKEN THE TWO HIGHEST MEDALS AND TWO DIPLOMAS AT THE CENTENNIAL Exposition—the Gold Medal at the California State Fair—The First Premium at each of the County Fairs in California—The Three Medals at the Oregon State Fair, given for the Best Family Sewing Machine, Best Manufacturing Machine, and Best Series of [illegible]—First Premium at the Washington Territorial Fair—First Premium at Walla Walla—[illegible] Premium at [illegible]boro and First Premium at Union county Fair.
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MANUFACTURERS OF
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Machinery, Iron and Brass Castings, Forgings,
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MACHINERY of all kinds made to order [illegible]

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Iron and Brass Founders, Boiler Makers, General Machinists
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Tinware & Plumber's Goods, Lead & Iron Pipe
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BIRD CAGES AND WOOD WARE,
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and the Excelsior [illegible]

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STEILACOOM
And the Celebrated
"BOCA" BEER
AT THE
CAMBRINUS,
FIRST & PINE STREETS.
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[L]unches [illegible]. Call and see me.
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Northern Pacific Railroad Co.
Pacific Division.
Office of General Superintendent and Assistant Land Commissioner.
KALAMA, Washington Territory, Nov. 7, 1876.
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THE UNDERSIGNED IS PREPARED TO BARgain for 100,000 Railroad Cross Ties; 240 acres Grubbing and Clearing, and for Piles, Timber and Lumber required for construction of a Railroad between [illegible] and the Puyallup Coal Fields.
Full Particulars as to dimensions, points of delivery, etc., will be furnished on application to
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General Superintendent.
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DIEPE & HOELBING,
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Manufacturers of all kinds of
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No. 3 Stark Street,
ANALYSES OF ALL KINDS OF ORES AND Metals. Prompt attention paid to orders from all parts of the country.
Highest price paid for Gold Dust and Gold Bars.

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HAVING CHANGED HANDS, ALL PERSONS knowing themselves indebted to GEO. A. PEASE & CO., will see the necessity of immediate settlement. All store bills must be paid to the new firm, at the old stand, No. 77 First street.
n27d3t GEO. A. PEASE & CO.

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FOOT OF YAMHILL STREET.
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ALL KINDS OF WOOD,
Sawed and unsawed, constantly on hand and de[illegible]

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OREGON TRANSFER COMPANY
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OFFICE AT BRAY & HACK STABLES,
S. W. Corner of Second and Stark Streets.
All business entrusted [illegible]
ORDERS FOR HACKS PROMPTLY ATTENDED to, Day or Night.

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Livery, Hack & Feed Stables,
(FIRE PROOF,)
COR. SECOND AND TAYLOR STREETS.
Reasonable Charges for Hire. [illegible] Attention paid to Boarding Horses.
Orders for Hacks Promptly Attended to
DAY OR NIGHT.

CORRECT TASTE.
IN THE OPINION OF THOSE WHO CLAIM THE ability to criticise, is sadly outraged by the conspicuous
RED FRONT
that stares every one in the face who passes by
[illegible]
However, this is simply a question of taste, and as all will admit that the chief use of advertising is to get one's name before the public,
[illegible]MES, THE PRINTER
after long and painful deliberation, has chosen this method of informing all the Oregonian readers that he has removed his extensive Steam Job Printing Office across the hall from his old place, where, with increased facilities, and a
[illegible] PRESS OFFICE
level with the street, for the purpose of preventing his numerous customers from
[BR]EAKING [illegible]
by climbing up a long flight of stairs, he is amply prepared to turn out exquisite specimens of all that is neat and artistic in Commercial, Legal and Social
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(To be continued.)

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The CUTLERY made by
LOUIS J. GEORGE,
First Street, between Salmon and Main.
All kinds of Cutlery and Surgical [illegible]

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SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 9, 1876.

NYM CRINKLE.

THE END-MAN IN ART.

One day there came a man to me to write him a lecture. He entered my library flamingly, and I was somewhat overpowered.

"I," said he, taking off his silk hat, "am Professor Popp—Pinney Popp—Professor Pinney Popp—you know the name, of course; everybody does—(here he laid a little circular on my table)—household word—can't miss it—outcrops everywhere—I am him"—here he took a seat and a short, quick gasp, as though his oxygen gas had run out. "You," he continued, taking a fresh circular out of his hat and looking at it with one eye shut, "are N. Crinkle, Esq.—I've heard you mentioned—got you down on my flyer. Listen (here he read from the circular which he held in his hands:) 'The brilliant and talented N. Crinkle, in his unparagoned style, pronounces Professor Pinney Popp's Magic Mirror of Moonshine to be the sublimest achievement in art of the nineteenth century.'"

"But I never said anything of the kind," I exclaimed.

"Ha, ha! certainly not; certainly not! But you understand these things—we have to help each other—I give you a line in my circular—you give me a line in the paper—nobody's hurt—public swears to it—Art gets the benefit—see? do you foller me?"

"I am endeavoring to," I said somewhat wildly. "To save me from a prolonged struggle, why not indicate, Professor, at once where you propose to land me?"

"Ha! yes! certainly, (shutting one eye). I see you understand perfectly the cesthetic ambition!—there is a common chord—I have struck it, sir!—the fact is, N. C., that we can make a pot o' money by playing on the common chord—you're literary—you have ideas—you kin sling words that burn, etc.—I'm oratorical—executive—cesthetic—I don't believe there's a man that travels that kin hog an audience quicker'n I kin—read tha !"

Here he pulled from his inside pocket circular number three containing a fine picture of Professor Popp, and innumerable certificates from Ralph Waldo Emerson, Marquis Cicero Stanley, Oliver Wendell Holmes, William Nirch, Esq., Bishop Potter, Richard Bustoed and Peter Cooper.

"Professor," I said, "I recognize your eminence as an *esthetic* worker; I am always proud to recognize a fellow laborer in art; I throw my house open to them; they never pass my door without coming in. You are the fourth one that's been in this morning."

"They didn't want lectures, did they?"

"No," I replied, "two of them wanted cold victuals. The other two wanted me to leave them for five minutes in the hall where the coats hang."

"Ha, ha! You *will* be bitter, I see, even when you're not writin'. That's the kind o' thing I want in my lecture. Bitterness, sir, by ginger! is an esthetic ingredient that is skeerce. It's worth its weight in gold."

"But it falls dead on most people, I'm afraid. The trouble is, you hit a man with it under the ear and he thinks you're tickling him with it under the arm. It don't work well in all cases."

"By George! sir, that's true. Did you ever travel with a stereotypetkin?"

"Me, sir?"

"You talk like a man that had showed. You've got an cesthetic jerk that betrays yer. When I hear a man talk who gits down to the nachure of things all to once and kinder seizes the truth with his soul, I know he's showed somewheres. Why, sir, before I bought out the steereotypetikin, and when I was givin old folks' concerts, I couldn't no more grasp cesthetics, 'n git round the arts 'n sciences, than I could skip off on my ear. Them old cuffers in the colleges couldn't have it. But now, sir, by George, I kin take my show, an' walk into Princeton Vassar, 'n Yale, like a sexton into a brown-stone front when there's a funeral. Old Woolsey drors up himself 'n he sez, sez he: 'Ha! Professor, I think I see yer!' 'You bet Governor,' I sez, quite familiar like. 'Them picters o' your'n,' the old man goes on for to say—'there ain't no going back on 'em; that steereo ypetikin I always allowed, was the headlight on the locomotive of human progress'—here the old cuss always warmed up 'n kinder burst out: 'Yes, Professer, the world was grovelin' 'n staggerin' round in permiskus ignorance, till the day-star of art rose up into the heaven of pop'lar intelligence.' Then he'd always drop his voice a little an' give some good advice, saying: 'Professer, when you're talkin' about Greek art I wouldn't say *them statutes* if I was you, and when you git to Paris it's just as well not to call it the *Toolerics*. It's all right, Professor, no offense meant, but these college people have got the darnedest notions about words and idears, and it'll take fifty years fer such men as you to overcome 'em; but work on, brother, the true cesthetic decible finds his highest reward in doin' of his dooty.'"

Here the Professor felt in his coat-tail pocket and producing circular number four laid it upon the table. At the same time taking in a fresh suppy of nitrous oxide from my room, he went on:

"I don't pretend, N. C., to always git my words just right, but my idears are sound, an' if I had the time to put 'em down the thing would be all sc teegee."

"I see," I exclaimed, "you want me to put your ideas into good English."

"Well, I sort of expected that you could sling a little book-stuff around it, 'n I could git the thing pat, 'n it 'ud go better, specially when I git into the seats o' learnin'."

"A lecture on art; what kind of art?"

"Statutes, mainly; archebitexture, its aim and purp"——

"K; Professor, ki, I——"

"O, excuse me," remarked the Professor: "by purp I didn't mean Ki yi."

"Exactly; the purp was unintentional on your part. But I only meant to say that—ki—arki—arkitecture sounded better. You will have to note the infernal prejudices of the old college duffers. I understand you want to lecture on arkitecture. Proceed, Professor; indicate your line of thought."

The Professor threw back the lappel of his coat with a sudden jerk, rounded out his shirt bosom with a fresh gulp of oxygen and proceeded to blow his '*cesthetic*' bassoon.

"I'll touch the principal p'ints, and you kin see my style o' histing the fine arts. You don't object to my walking up and down, I 'spose; a man can h'ist better on his feet. Here you see, ladies and gentlemen, the pyramid of Geyser in a deep vale, shut out by Alpine hills from the rude world (poetry always gits 'em, don't forgit that; it is one of the oldest monuments on the face of he planit. Many of the springs in our native land are named after it (there's nothing like a touch of wit to keep your audience on the quy vyve). The last time, ladies and gentlemen, that I stood upon this noble pile, I was filled with awe as I looked down upon the lovely landscape stretching away at my feet, and recalled the dead niggers that was piled up inside of it. (There's nothing like a local illusion to make the hair stand on the head of an audience.) Next in importance to this great work of art is the "Freeze on the Parthenon," which can now be seen in the British Museum, one of the finest buildings in Bloomsbury square, London, G. B. London was burned in 1600, and on several occasions since. The haziness of the atmosphere which you perceive in this picture is not, however, the effects of smoke, but fog. Fog is a precipitation of the atmosphere, owing to its density; a great many contrivances have been invented to protect sailors from its dangers, but none of them has given such general satisfaction as Quackenboss' reacting fog horn, of which the following is an accurate representation."

"It's a noble ideal," I exclaimed, "but if you will allow me to suggest something, I think that if you could get the invention itself and introduce it into the lecture, it would save you a good deal of work."

"Well, I have to show it, you know; I git a dollar a night on that picter; you mustn't take it out. To return, ladies and gents; another of the sublime picters of ancients is the Lay-o-coon, the work of Agesander, or his two sons, Pollydorus and Athenodorus (how's that?). It is, as you see, ladies and gents, a fine representation of delirium tremens, as the ancients understood it—they've got 'em bad. They're not professional wrasslers, but lay coons, hence the name. (If you know what this means, I wish you'd tell me; I've got that joke off about sixteen thousand times, an' it always fetches 'em, but, between you an' me, I never could see where the laugh come in.)"

"Professor," I remarked, extending him my hand, "you said when you came in there was a common chord between us. There is; I feel it vibrating. If I can see where the laugh comes in, I hope to die."

"Paris, ladies and gents, is the most beautiful an' esthetic city in France. It is the home of art an' the paradise of Americans. Perhaps I should say the Eden of art, for all its Eves are stark naked. Here you have the Madeleine, Notre Dame, St. Sulpic, the tomb o' Napoleon, the Pantheon, the opera-bouffe, the Garden Mabilly and the celebrated tailoring establishment of Girardin freres This house, built entirely of Caen stone is six stories in height and employs over four hundred workmen. No American leaves Paris without buying a suit. The custom department is noted for its gentlemanly salesmen, who strict attention to business succeeds in charming the most fastidious taste (this has got to go in anyhow.) Paris is noted for its boovet, which is finer than that of any other city. Ri tum diddy dy ri tum doo!"

"Pardon me, Professor," I interrupted. "I am not quite sure that I catch your train of thought. The exact relevancy of the ri tum diddy, has, I fear escaped me."

Without explanation, the Professor proceeded:

"It is from Paris that we import Lubin's Extracts (now sold at a great reduction), bad wine and ballet girls. This beautiful picter of Bon anti was taken by Scroogs, who has also taken an admirable photograph of Thorwaldsen's base relief, "Morning." A few copies of this work in plaster can be had of the door keeper; price 50 cents. Fol dol, do de riddle dol, dol de link ti a."

"Really, Professor, you must adapt your phraseology to the ordinary comprehension. The strophe is lucid and simple, but if I can catch the significance of the antistrophe, may Satan roast me!"

"Music, music! my boy, all original—my own—by ginger, sir. Have you got such a thing about you as a parlor organ? If you have, I'll give you a touch. Nothin' knocks 'em flat like a whack at the 'Beautiful Star' or 'Jake's Jig'—you see I compose all my own music—that's where I've got the bulge on all these other showmen; besides that, there's everything in a man's manner. You can't expect a man to have the elegant ease that an art audience wants, unless he's been in the court circles of Europe."

"Ah!" I said, "you have spent years of your life in the exclusive atmosphere of royalty?"

"Of course you didn't suppose that all this thing was natural with me, did you? I traveled three years with Donaldson's trained dogs! Didn't I show 'em at Windsor by command! Oh, no, I guess not! Didn't Her Majesty do me the honor to send word that me and the other animals was the finest collection outside of the Zoo? Well, I should say not! Didn't the Duke of Cambridge compliment me by saying the dogs had a great advantage of me, and when I asked him what it was, didn't he say they only wagged their tails? No sir, I should say not! Not a bit of it! Now, what do I want you to do is to git all this in—lay it on heavy—don't forget my portraits—look at this—how do you like that? I was taken in a toga, by Kurtz, and I always throw this up on the screen when I'm talkin' about art. This other one, taken as St. Paul, by Sarony, I use when I lecture in the churches—that mark in the forehead was made in Dayton, Ohio. You see a fellow came on the platform after the show, saying: 'Where is the Professer? show me the Professer? where is the great and good man?' An' when I came up to him in my happiest manner, wearing the smile of the court circles, an said: 'My dear sir, you see in me the person you wish,' he hauled a stocking out of his pocket with half a brick in the end of it and plugged me in the head."

"Do I understand, Professor, that by the use of that court term, 'plugged,' you wish to convey the usual meaning, and that the man endeavored to stop a vain and wasteful overflow?"

"He? Why he said he could teach me more about art in ten minutes than all the galleries in Europe, but I always suspected that he had another show an' was not an cesthetic man. It never worried me any. A man who lectures on art must expect to be abused. I s'pose you have found that out."

"Ye—s," I said, "but I have never lectured on art."

"Oh, you hav'nt got the picters."

"That's it. Can't wear a toga."

"Oh, well. Everybody can't do these things. They come natural to me. Now, what I want is a rippin' old lecture, rammed full of art. Don't be afraid of the Latin and French, and let's know your figger. What do you say to twenty-five or thirty dollars! part down?"

"By heavens" I exclaimed, "you are not only an artist, you are a prince. Would to heaven the world had more of you. It is such men as you who lift us out of our dreary round of duties and make life pleasanter with your presence. Will you excuse me one moment?"

I then left him for a brief space of time. It had occurred to me that there were stockings hanging on the clothes-line in the back yard, and that I had seen half a brick under the steps.

I was right. I brought them in with me. But alas! the Professor got over the front fence as I entered the hall-way.

NYM CRINKLE.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

FRIDAY EVENING, Dec. 8, 1876.

Gold in New York, 108

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 92; selling 93.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Ajax will sail for San Francisco at 6 o'clock to-morrow morning.

The steamship Geo. W. Elder will leave San Francisco for Portland to-morrow at the usual hour.

The Br ship Desdemona, which cleared at Astoria for Liverpool, Monday last, carried a very large and valuable cargo, loaded by the Salem Flouring Mill Co.

The schr Katie Heron is loading for Tillamook at Everding & Farrell's wharf.

EXPORTS.

Per steamship Ajax to San Francisco, dispatched by the O. S. S. Co., Dec. 9—1,400 sks flour, 92 sks oats, 76 bales hops, 44 bbls pork, 5 bbl's currants, 1 keg cider, 136 cs and 100 hf bbls salmon, 12 empty kegs, 68 sks seeds, 12 bxs eggs, 105 sks potatoes, 38 bales wool, 6 cs meat, 10 cs onions, 2 coops chickens, 591 bxs apples, 280 dz, 19 cans and 1 bbl tallow, 215 salt and 131 dry hides, 31 bdls calf skins, 1 bale bear skins, 1 do deer, 4 do sheep, 274 bdls staves, 8 pkgs headings.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 8.—Breadstuffs firm: corn, 27@27s 4d for new mixed; Western wheat, 10s 11d; white, 11s 2d@11s 6d for club, 9s 9d@10s 7d for red Western spring. Receipts of wheat for the past 3 days, 6,000 quarters; American 4,000.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Flour—Steady at $6@7 for jobbing lots of extra

Wheat—Ten thousand sks choice milling at $2 15.

Barley—$1 20, silver; brewing $1 20@1 30.

Oats—Small sales from store at $1 60@1 80; choice heavy, $1 90.

Potatoes—40@90c will cover all kinds on market.

Hay—Cargo lots $9@16.

Gold—107¼.

Legal Tenders—92@92¼.

Trade dollars 99@101; halves 93¼@94.

Liverpool wheat market to-day, 10s 11d@11s 3d for average California; 11s 2d@11s 6d for club.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

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d2d1m WESLEY GRAVES, Proprietor.

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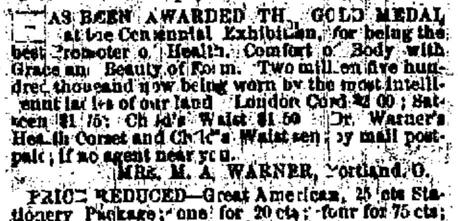

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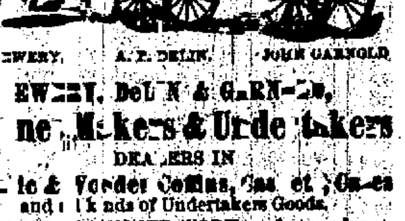

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[illegible] of it by the Eastern Press and Congress.

[illegible] not sustained by Democratic Senators.

[illegible] of Governor Grover's Action.

[illegible], Dec. 8.—The *Times'* Washington [illegible] One of the most notable decisions [illegible] raised by the action of the [illegible] Oregon was made by the Senate [illegible]. This has several times [illegible] has not been clearly [illegible] the Democrats took on [illegible] Abbott and Vance were candidates from North Carolina. Vance [illegible] reason of political disabilities [illegible]. A large majority [illegible] voted for Vance. Abbot [illegible] vote. The resolution [illegible] privileges and elections [illegible] that Abbot, not having received [illegible] of the votes cast, was not [illegible] aye and no vote [illegible] substituting for this [illegible] statement that Abbot [illegible] Thurman being a [illegible] made a long speech [illegible] questions involved. The [illegible] Abbot and 42 against [illegible] Senators being absent. [illegible] for seating Abbot are the [illegible] carpet-baggers, and only [illegible] are now members of the Senate [illegible] three, every Republican [illegible] was not Abbot's right. Among the Democrats who also [illegible] are Bayard, Davis of [illegible]waite, Johnson, Kelly, [illegible]man, who are now members. No Democrat voted in [illegible] Thurman's speech was an [illegible] Democratic view, and in [illegible] the views entertained by [illegible] Republicans.

[illegible] that Senator Kelly, of [illegible] in the above principles, [illegible] trouble and fatigue of 600 [illegible] to return from San Francisco [illegible] the action of the Governor [illegible] man, in his opinion, [illegible] Presidential election. It [illegible] discussion in the Senate [illegible] Democrats will not be drawn [illegible] the Oregon case.

[illegible] William says in re[illegible] Grover that it was in [illegible] statutes of Oregon; that no [illegible] more clearly a breach [illegible] statutes are entirely plain [illegible] Secretary of State is to [illegible] number of votes cast and he [illegible] authority. The Governor [illegible] the law except to issue [illegible] to persons certified [illegible] the highest number of votes [illegible] private discussion of [illegible] Democrats, either in the [illegible] At least, they vigilantly [illegible] expression of opinion [illegible] learned, that very [illegible] Senators sustained the [illegible] they are of opinion [illegible] of the electoral [illegible] be taken by the Republicans [illegible] a precedent for going [illegible]. They evidently [illegible] Senate will undertake to [illegible] vote for Oregon and [illegible] Hayes and Wheeler, and [illegible] resist such action if attempted. They will simply act [illegible] for themselves in [illegible] of Louisiana and other [illegible]. The Democrats, instead of [illegible] of Grover as a gross outrage, [illegible] inclined to laugh at it as a [illegible] good joke, by which they [illegible] gained advantage over the [illegible] not probable that twenty [illegible] the Democratic vote [illegible] Oregon, but they will [illegible] in supposing that [illegible] precedent for action in other [illegible].

[illegible] special says Demo[illegible] as they seemed [illegible] the Oregon news. I[illegible] intended to use this [illegible] the Republican Senate [illegible] returns in Louisiana. Ac[illegible] condemns the party for taking [illegible] Decision in the Senate [illegible] in an exactly similar case [illegible] decided grounds [illegible] as Grover's, and every [illegible]. The case was Vance [illegible] noticed throughout [illegible] that Southern Democrats [illegible] their Northern brethren, [illegible]. This was especially [illegible] when argument was [illegible] impeachment of Grant, on the [illegible] would prejudice Tilden and [illegible].

[illegible] Dec. 8.—Republicans here [illegible] Gov. Grover has furnished [illegible] the recognition of [illegible] Presidential elector. Cro[illegible] pronounced, will establish [illegible] legality of the two Republican [illegible] the Governor. If not [illegible] will establish the [illegible] the Republicans is in the electoral majority. When they met [illegible] any case, either by [illegible] himself, or Watts' resignation [illegible] filled by electing Watts, [illegible] can be no question that the [illegible] cast for Hayes are the [illegible] morally or technically [illegible] the view of the case which [illegible] of uneasiness among [illegible] yesterday. The [illegible] caucus discussed the [illegible] this morning and took no [illegible] excellent and confi[illegible].

[illegible] World's Opinion.

[illegible] Dec. 8.—The *World's* Washington [illegible] the final decision of the great [illegible] universally conceded, is now [illegible] Congress count the vote in [illegible] single vote in Oregon for Tilden [illegible] complicated the situation or [illegible] any of whom concede his [illegible] result in Oregon has been [illegible]. They declare that the vote in [illegible] elects Tilden must be thrown [illegible] or president pro tem. re[illegible] the Oregon certificate for the [illegible] or count it. If such high[illegible] as that of counting by the [illegible] is to be made, this, of [illegible] a precedent by which the [illegible] of the returning boards can be [illegible] Democratic House or by [illegible]. Republican Senators and [illegible] greatly puzzled what to do in [illegible]. If the Oregon elector is [illegible] precedent is established, no mat[illegible] is arranged for throwing [illegible] of Louisiana and Florida.

[illegible] the Center Figure.

[illegible] Dec. 8.—The Oregon election is [illegible] certain quarters. Groesbeck, [illegible] the opinion that the Democratic [illegible] the case by forcing its claim [illegible] vote from Oregon is deciding the [illegible] rather regards it as an important [illegible] movement by the Democratic [illegible] inquiry beyond certificates [illegible] returning boards of South Carolina and Louisiana, to Hayes electors. [illegible] he is seconded by a majority [illegible] leaders, and it is not at all [illegible] the election of Tilden will be [illegible] by reason of this vote. If mere [illegible] to be regarded as conclusive, [illegible] Oregon must be admitted on that [illegible] as the votes of Florida. If [illegible] no authority to go behind the [illegible] authenticated by the State executive [illegible] electoral vote from Oregon [illegible] Tilden the requisite 185 votes. [illegible] declared elected. If, on the other [illegible] can go behind the certificates [illegible] the validity of Hayes' ma[illegible] one disputed vote in Oregon and those either in Florida, Louisiana or South Carolina. The Republicans have a quick and clear appreciation of the magnitude of this sudden peril. The unbridled rage of denunciation which they have let loose upon Gov. Grover attests the importance they attach to his action. There is no end of opprobrious epithets which they heap upon the governor of Oregon. He is a traitor, a Benedict Arnold; he has committed the great crime of the century; he is to be refused a seat in the Senate to which he was elected by the last legislature of his State. Whether he deserves this great outpouring of wrath or not, its authors may, by this exhibition, imply a confession that they are sadly upset and demoralized by the governor's action.

The *Herald's* Washington special says leading Democrats to-night say they do not care to defend the action in Oregon, but where there was so much unscrupulous sharp practice on the other side, they are glad to be able on any fair and legal plea to cry "halt!" and again point in favor of fair play. Wells, of New York, says it makes a case for the House and gives the Democrats the advantage of counting the votes. If the Republicans refuse to recognize the Democratic electors' votes, the House will be justified in proceeding to exclude the vote of Lousiana and others. The Democrats, however, think their position is not much improved by the irregularity in Oregon. The Democrats propose to attempt to impeach Chandler. The latter bids defiance.

Grover's Explanation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The *Herald* publishes this:

SALEM, Oregon, Dec. 7.

EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—At your request I give you some of the grounds of my action in granting the certificates to Electors duly elected. In taking his oath of office the governor is sworn to support the constitution of the United States, and of the State. In the election of President and the members of Congress the constitution of the United States is the paramount law. That instrument declares that no person holding an office under the United States shall be appointed as an Elector. J. W. Watts, one of the Electors voted for in Oregon, was, on the 8th day of November, holding an office of trust and profit under the United States, to wit: postmaster at Lafayette, the county seat of Yamhill county; he so held that office for more than three years. Many more than the number of votes constituting his majority had actually passed in and out of his office on official business. His official character was generally known and was mentioned during the political discussions of the canvass. The law was known and the act was known rendering him disqualified as an Elector. A protest was filed in the executive office by prominent citizens objecting to the issuance of a certificate to Watts, as a person disqualified, accompanied by proof of his disqualification, and demanding the same be issued to an eligible person having the next highest number of votes. A reply was filed objecting to anything but a count of the votes and a certificate of the count, and making no denial of the disqualifying facts. It was ruled in the case that when an objection to an applicant's right to receive the certificate rests upon the ground that a constitutional prohibition is interposed, the Governor, acting under oath to support the Constitution, is bound to entertain and determine the question; not only that, but is to determine in such a way as to enforce the constitutional mandate to the extent of the executive power. It was also held that the law and the fact being well known that the votes cast for the ineligible candidate cannot be counted for him to any purpose, and the eligible candidate having the next highest number of votes, was duly elected. This ruling was based upon the standard authorities of such as Cushing the decisions of many courts like the Supreme Court and the Court of Appeals of New York, the later uniform practice in the U. S. House of Representatives, and the great weight of English authorities, both parliamentary and judicial. The law of Oregon providing for filling vacancies in the electoral college, recognizes a vacancy only in cases where there has been an incumbent and such incumbent has died, has refused to act, neglected to stand, or is otherwise absent. In this case there was no incumbent, unless the next highest candidate should take the position, and there was no vacancy which could be filled by the other members of the electoral college. The next highest candidate eligible under the Constitution of the United States was therefore certified to be duly elected.

L. F. GROVER,
Governor of Oregon.

Tilden Gets on High Ground.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says Tilden declares through Hewitt that he will not accept the office of President through the technicality of the Oregon electoral vote, but will demand it, and intimates that those opposing him commit treason. Hoar says the Republican party will take neither horn of the dilemma which Hewitt presents. Hoar does not state the programme to be pursued, but it is thought the President of the Senate will refuse to receive votes forwarded by rival electors. He will not count as certificates pieces of paper known to be fraudulent, and a mere trick. There is no debate in the order pending this count nor any constitutional appeal from it.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

Inauguration of Gov. Chamberlain.

COLUMBIA, Dec. 7.—Governor Chamberlain to-day took the oath of office as governor in the State house before Probate Judge Boon, a joint resolution repealing the law that the oath should be taken before the chief justice or associate justice having passed previously. The inauguration was over before it was known in the city. Only a few parties were admitted by the authorities and witnessed the ceremony. A company of troops were stationed in the corridor and constabulary guarded the entrance.

Governor Chamberlain said he accepted the office to which, by a majority of the people, he a second time had been called, with knowledge of its great responsibility and difficulties. Consideration of duty impelled him to accept. He regarded the present hour in South Carolina as a crisis at which no patriotic citizen should shrink from any public post to which he was called. The present struggle is in defense of the foundation of our government and institutions. If we fail now the government of South Carolina will no longer rest on the consent of the governed, expressed by the vote of a majority of the people. If our opponents triumph, under whatever guise of legal forms, free government in the State is overthrown. His chief care will be to contribute his utmost to the effort to defend the rights, guard the peace and promote the welfare of all the people of the State. Only cowardice or treachery can rob Republicans of the victory. If the Republicans yielded we shall witness the consummation of a cruel conspiracy by Democrats to overcome by brute force the political will of 20,000 lawful votes. He had mourned over previous public abuses. It is written in blood that no nation can safely rest on enforced slavery or the degradation of race, yet the American people are to-day divided on the question of the disfranchisement and degradation of the same race it freed, and what is more astonishing, Republicans have permitted errors attending the first efforts of this race in self government to so chill their sympathies as to stand and practically say the peace of political servitude is better than the abuses newly acquired freedom has brought. He denounced the conduct of the Democratic campaign as a brutal outrage, depending on fraud, proscription, intimidation and murder. Hampton had said he held not only the peace of the State, but his (Chamberlain's) life in his hands. This he did not doubt. His life could be easily taken, but nothing could make them abate the hate and opposition to the enslavement of the people of South Carolina. The legislature then adjourned.

Proceedings of the Democratic House.

The Democratic House met with the constitutional quorum of members holding certificates from the Secretary of State. They finally confirmed all acts previously done, and finally seated Edgefield and Laurens delegation. A committee was appointed to inform the Senate that the House was ready for business, and ask Gen. Ruger to remove the troops from the State house.

Hampton Replies to Chamberlain.

Hampton issued a card to the public to-day referring to Chamberlain's closing remarks in his inaugural address, saying: "I pronounce this statement infamously false. I, by my renewed exertions, have endeavored to preserve the peace of the State, and have thus contributed to shield from popular indignation one who has proved a disgrace to his rank and a traitor to his trust. His conscience may make him tremble but neither nor the men with whom I act countenance the hand of the assassin. WADE HAMPTON.

Investigations at Work—The Situation.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 8.—The Congressional investigation committee arrived last night, and this morning met and organized, and soon after drove to the State house. The Republican house and senate are in session, but have taken no important action. The committee appointed by the Democratic house yesterday are now in the discharge of their mission, which is to call upon the officers commanding the U. S. troops, and inform them the house is legally constituted, and ask the withdrawal of troops from the building, and if refused, to demand by what authority the troops are retained there. The house has also instructed the judiciary committee to employ counsel and proceed against D. W. Chambalain for treasonable acts in usurping the government of the State; also directing the committee to ascertain and report what counties are not represented in the house.

LOUISIANA.

Northern Democrats Gone Home.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—Northern Democrats left for home to-day.

Political Excitement Over.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The *Times'* New Orleans special says: It is not probable there will be any further excitement here until the beginning of the year, when the new Governor must be inaugurated and the Legislature commence its session. The Congressional committee is expected Monday, and it is announced that representatives from the Lower House intend to visit the bull-dozed parishes. The Democrats are making extraordinary efforts to remove evidence of violence and intimidation from them. The Democrats here are rejoicing that the Senate committee will not visit Louisiana, but will hold sessions in Washington. The committee's action is a great mistake.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—The *Tribune's* New Orleans special says: Democratic papers here are very bitter and incendiary.

Willing to Sell, but no Purchasers.

The *World's* New Orleans special says: The following details of the Levissee matter are given by a man who knows the circumstances. Levissee, when coming down the river, said he knew Tilden was elected, and it was a damn shame to cheat him out of it; that if he could be taken care of and protected so he could get out of the country, he would vote for him. On arriving in the city he made offers of his vote for $100,000, and yesterday reduced his price to $50,000. He said he had a speech prepared, and would take high moral ground. He was suspected by the Republicans, and their suspicions were communicated to Zach Chandler at Washington, who, on Tuesday, telegraphed for information on the subject. Persons with whom Levissee communicated had no association with any Democratic committee, and their motives probably were to induce Levissee to expose himself. He was willing and anxious to be bought, but was unable to find a purchaser.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—A New Orleans special to the *Inter-Ocean*, gives the sworn statement of Levissee, taken by an attorney in New Orleans in which Levissee testifies that while remaining at the house of a lady in the city, he received a note from a man well known as a Democrat, urging him to meet the writer next morning, November 5th. From the hints he received, he was convinced the purpose in all this, was to offer a bribe for his vote, and in order to develope fully the circumstances and names of the parties connected with the move, and to keep the bribers in pursuit of him until it was too late to attack any one else, he visited the place appointed. Acting under the advice of Marshal Pitkin, he met the party whose name he does not designate specifically, except as Mr. Bon. A conversation ensued, stating that he had merely a business proposition to make, he asked if for $5,000 or $50,000 he could refuse the Governor's certificate as elector, and thus defeat the election of Hayes. Levissee made no direct answer, but suggested a larger sum might be necessary, etc. At the next interview, the same day, he said that if Levissee would cast his vote directly for Tilden he could offer him $100,000. This was again left unsettled, and an hour later he returned giving statement of how and where the money could be obtained, namely, from a Mr. C., well known to deponent. Together they went to see the latter who was wealthy and fully responsible. On the morning for casting the electoral vote B. met deponent and said the money was in the hands of C., who would pay it over when the act was consummated. At this point, believing his point had been accomplished, Levissee told B. the amount was insufficient, and they would drop the matter. He promised B. not to disclose the names unless judicially compelled. The correspondent speaks of Levissee as an irreproachable and respected citizen.

THE PRESIDENTIAL SQUABBLE.

The Tribune Thinks Everything is Lovely.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says: Republicans are confident to-night that the country will accept the inauguration of Hayes as the rightful solution of the Presidential complication. They believe the Democrats by their conduct since the election have excited distrust and alarm. The worst features in the conduct of the Democrats are stated as follows: First, they endeavored to bribe Hughes, an elector in South Carolina, to betray his trust, and made a direct offer to him of a large sum of money. Second, they made a similar corrupt proposition to one of Hayes' electors in Louisiana. Third, they tried to purchase one of the Republicans of the Florida board of state canvassers, in order to secure a majority in the board and have the electoral vote of the State returned for Tilden. Fourth, they induced the Governor of Oregon to trample upon his own oath of office and give a certificate of election to a Democrat who had no shadow of legal right to the certificate. It is held here that Hayes has received 185 lawfully cast electoral votes, and there is no Republican in Washington to-night who does not believe he will be inaugurated President of the United States.

What the Southern Democrats Demand.

In the Democratic caucus yesterday, Ben Hill and other Southern Democrats notified Fernando Wood that they did not want any more rebellion in the South or war. They claimed Tilden's election, demanded that the Democrats assume the responsibility of seating and suggested that if any future forcible resistance was to be made, Wood and his friends must inaugurate it.

Invincible in Peace—Invisible in War.

The *Times* editorial: A rebuke was yesterday administered to the little squad of home guard Democrats, led by Hewitt and Fernando Wood, egged on by the New York *World*, who have been calling for impeachment of the President, and making silly threats about war. Hewitt's proposition for a committee of inquiry, looking to impeachment, was voted down in the Democratic caucus, and a speech by Wood was denounced by Ben Hill. That gentleman intimated that it was only men who were invincible in peace and invisible in war who talked about bloodshed now, and said plainly that if this class had not had enough of it the South had. John Young Brown also declared if there was to be war on the Presidential question the Northern Democrats must make it. This display of good sense and genuine patriotism on the part of men who have been heretofore regarded as among the more violent, is a hopeful sign and one of great value.

Bets Off.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—John Morrissey declared off all pools sold in his house on the direct result of the Presidential election.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—John Morrissey has been paying back all money placed in his hands on the Presidential election to-day.

100 Guns for Hayes.

HARTFORD, Dec. 7.—Republicans will fire 100 guns to-morrow because Hayes is elected.

The Latest Ineligible.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 7.—The Democrats claim that Downs, Republican elector, is examining surgeon of the pension bureau, and having cast his vote while thus ineligible, only nine votes have been cast in the State. The Republicans argue that this is not an office in the contemplation of the constitution, even if he held it.

Something Worth Investigating.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—A dispatch says the Republican national committee intend to make an investigation of reported cases of attempts to bribe Judge Levisles, Republican elector of Louisiana, who was offered $100,000 if he would vote for Tilden, or even cast his ballot for Blaine or Grant, so as to make a tie. He is a resident of Shreveport. He is a native of the South, and was a Union man during the war. Those who attempted to bribe him appealed to his memory of his sufferings during the war, and insisted that the only way for him to prevent another war was to defeat Hayes, as he had it in his power.

The Joint Rule Decision—Will Cronin be Allowed to Appear.

The *Inter-Ocean's* Washington special says: The decision sustaining President Ferry on the joint rule question is considered a great step toward solving the election complication, since Republicans can question one Missouri and one North Carolina electoral vote on precisely the same grounds as Democrats can question the solid Republican return from Oregon. It is doubtful if the Democrats will even allow Cronin to appear and present his returns. It is authoritatively stated that a telegram has been sent Gov. Tilden urging him to repudiate Grover's action.

The National Republican committee have a circular, printed in the Democratic office here, for distribution over the South. It announces that next March (inauguration day) there is to be an extensive military parade here, and invites rifle clubs and other military organizations of the South to participate. It asks for the numerical strength of each company which will accept the invitation and for other information about the company.

Canvassing for State Officers.

TALLAHASSEE, Dec. 7.—The canvassing board has not yet completed the canvass, and has been all day in session, and some changes will it is said, be made in the count for State officers. The coming of the congressional committee is looked for with great anxiety, as it is expected they will go into those counties where frauds were conspicuous, and thus be brought face to face with those testifying. Attorney-General Cocke will, it is understood, at the conclusion of the canvass, review the proceedings and present the opinion of his colleagues on the board. The military remain, but orders are expected calling the artillery to Washington.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Ophir 44; C & C 3; Mexican 23; B & B [illegible]; California 50; Con Va 47½; H & N 7½; Point 8½; Jacket 17½; Imperial 2½; Kentuck 10; Chollar 81½; Confidence 12½; Alpha 45½; Belcher 14; S Nevada 12½; Utah 15; Exchequer 15½; Seg Belcher 3½; Overman 118½; Union 11½; Justice 2½; Buckeye 1; Bryan 4; Caledonia 14; Knickerbocker 50; Cloud 20; Baltimore 3; Hill 10½; Challenge 3; Dayton 3½; Rhode Island 1; New York 1½; Occidental 2½; Woodville 4; Wasoon 3½; Atta 3½; Kossuth 2; Andes 22.

EVENING BOARD.—Valley 50c; A & E 3½; accon 1½; Eu Con 1½; K K Con 3; Belmont 2; Leopard 5½; N Belle 13c; Thomas 1½; Manhattan 5½; Grand Prize 1; Modoc 6½; Chariot 50c; Poorman 2½; Leeds 2½; Wells Fargo 20c; Jonathop 10c; Leviathan 1; N Con Va 1; Prospect [illegible]; Trojan 6½; Mexican 22; Justice 20½; Jacket 7½; California 55½; Ophir 44; Con Va 47; Chollar 81½; H & N 7½; Overman 110.

Pigeon Shooting Match.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—A match has been arranged between Capt. Bogardus, champion pigeon shooter, and Mr. Robinson, a young lawyer of this city, well known as a crack shot to take place at Oakland Park, Wednesday, one hundred birds each, sixty single and twenty pairs, for a purse of $500.

More Trouble in the Mines.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Dissatisfied stockholders of Lucy Bryan mining company held a meeting this evening. 16,000 shares being represented and it was stated that probably three times that number would come into the movement with little effort. The management of the Co. was denounced in most vigorous terms, and among other things accused of having swindled stockholders to amount of $380,000. A committee was appointed to engage first-class legal talent to take steps to obtain an injunction restraining the company from holding an election, and if necessary throw it into bankruptcy. An assessment will be levied on parties to the movement to defray expenses of legal proceedings.

A Clue to the Jennie Bonnet Murder.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—There seems some reason to hope the mystery surrounding the murder of Jennie Bonnet may be cleared up. The following dispatch was received here this afternoon:

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.

Ernest Girard was arrested here to-day, charged with the murder of Jennie Bonnet, at a hotel in San Miguel, on the 14th of September.

Suspicion rested on Girard at the time of the murder, but no evidence was then found to warrant his arrest. Some time ago he left the city, and the presumption is that the police, acting upon new evidence which may have recently been brought to light, telegraphed the Eastern police authorities to arrest him. The police here say they have been looking for Girard some time, but offer no explanation of the reason.

A Mine in Limbo.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—The meeting of stockholders of Pioche Mining Co. advertised to be held to-day, is to devise a way of saving the property from the sheriff's hammer. There is a debt of $30,000 hanging over the mine. Judgment was obtained and execution issued. The sale takes place to-morrow. There only 545 shares represented. So no meeting could be had, and the property will be sold. The secretary stated that only about 4,000 shares paid the last assessment. The rest of the stock reverted to the company.

Republican Rejoicing.

MARYSVILLE, Dec. 8.—The Republicans of this city fired a hundred guns this evening at sunset for the prospective election of Gov. Hayes to the Presidency.

ATLANTIC CABLE.

Extradition.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The *News* editorially rejoices that the English government has seen their mistake on the extradition question and had courage and candor to acknowledge it.

Anxiety about Buenos Ayres.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Further private telegrams of a disquiet nature have been received from Buenos Ayres.

Bank of England.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day, £165,000.

Cabinet Crisis in Greece.

ATHENS, Dec. 8.—A new ministry has been formed in consequence of the defeat by the chamber of deputies of the proposed increase of tax for war purposes.

CONGRESS—OPA[illegible].

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.

Debate on the Message continued.

Bayard argued against printing such documents, though it was usual to print official documents coming from the President. The office of President did not connect him with election relations. It was unwarrantable to send a committee to New Orleans. He would not object if the testimony of the other side could be printed with this, but objected to this alone; the Senate must stand on the law; there must be no shuffling.

Sargent made a masterly reply to this speech of Bayard.

The committees report to print documents and accompanying depositions was agreed to, 40 to 13; Wallace and Kernan voting with the Republicans.

Mitchell submitted the following:

WHEREAS, At the late presidential election in the State of Oregon, the people, by a majority of over 1,100 chose electors who were pledged to vote for R. B. Hayes for President, and Wm. A. Wheeler for Vice President; and

WHEREAS, The Governor of that State, upon the pretext that J. W. Watts, elector thus chosen, was at the time of his election deputy postmaster, certified to one E. A. Cronin, who had been a candidate upon the Democratic electoral ticket, that he, Cronin, was chosen and elected on the face of the record [illegible] and undisputed fact that he had been defeated by the majority before stated; and

WHEREAS, The Governor placed in the hands of E. A. Cronin the certificates of the other two electors chosen to vote for Hayes and Wheeler, instead of putting them into their own hands, as the law requires, who retained them in his possession and refused to exhibit them; and

WHEREAS, The E. A. Cronin assumed to appoint two electors, and with them pretended to cast the electoral vote of the State, and certified it up to the President of the Senate; and

WHEREAS, The action of said governor in issuing a certificate of election to said Cronin was wholly unauthorized, illegal and fraudulent, and a gross violation of the rights of the people of Oregon and the action of said Cronin, in presuming to act as an elector and appoint two others, was really fraudulent and wicked,

Resolved, That the committee on privileges and elections are hereby instructed to investigate the facts attending the appointment of said electors and pretended electors and the action of the governor and Secretary of State in respect to them and to report the same to the Senate; and for this purpose may employ a stenographer, send for persons and papers, administer oaths and examine witnesses.

Morton said there was no precedent for electing a minority candidate because of the ineligibility of the person receiving a majority of the votes cast. In fact the case had been decided exactly the reverse in the Senate and House. He cited the cases of John Young Brown and Abbott vs. Vance. He quoted at length from English and American authorities.

Thurman argued the reverse side of the question. There was certainly a disqualifying clause, but whether the minority candidate should be declared elected he could not say now.

Edmunds did not wonder that returns held up a little before going into this, as he understood Gov. Grover had undertaken to thwart the will of the people of Oregon. He quoted various law authorities, showing the practice both here and in England was opposed to the doctrine of Grover.

Ordered printed and lie on table.

[illegible] introduced the following bill to restrain unauthorized persons from assuming to act as Presidential electors:

Be it enacted, &c., That every person who shall in any state cast or ballot for President and Vice President of the United States, or make or certify to any list of persons voted for on basis [illegible] for such State for President and Vice President, or shall direct or transmit any such certified list to the President of the Senate, either by mail or messenger, or who shall deposit any such certified list with the [illegible] of any district court within the United States, or who shall in any other way assume to act as an elector for President and Vice President, without having been duly appointed to and in accordance with the law of such State, shall be deemed guilty of felony, and on conviction thereof fined not less than $1,000 or imprisoned not [illegible] than ten years.

Section 2. Every person who shall bear any such certified list of persons who voted for President and Vice President of the [illegible] to the seat of government, or shall deliver the same to the president of the Senate, knowing such [illegible] to be certified by persons not duly appointed to act, shall be adjudged guilty of felony, and on conviction be fined not less than [illegible],000 or imprisoned not [illegible] than two years; referred.

Edmunds gave notice that he would call up to-morrow the proposed constitutional amendment in relation to counting the vote for President and Vice President. Adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.

Ingalls reported a resolution requesting the Secretary of the Interior to report immediately what efforts have been made to remove the Sioux from their treaty reservation to the Indian Territory, and what negotiations are now pending, and what is the object thereof; agreed to.

Mitchell called up his resolution directing an investigation of the circumstances attending the appointment of Cronin Presidential elector by the Governor; referred to election committee without debate.

Bogy's bill introduced last session, making the silver dollar a legal tender, and providing for the issue of silver coin, was referred to the committee on finance.

On motion these members were added to the election committee, to assist in the Southern election investigation provided by Edmunds' resolution.

Harvey submitted a resolution authorizing a select committee to examine into the several branches of the civil service, and send for persons, papers, &c.

Johnston argued that the Senate and House were bound under the joint rules every day, and could not transact business without them. The authority to appoint conference committees came from the joint rules.

Edmunds said there was a general parliamentary rule providing for conference committees.

Sargent said when the list of committees was reported the other day, it was accompanied by resolutions authorizing the committee on library, printing, etc., to act concurrently with the House committees. This showed the Senate did not recognize the joint rules under which these committees might act.

Davis said he asked Wright when the committees were reported, whether that was any change in the usual custom of appointing committees, and Wright assured him there was none. It seemed now there was one for the purpose of avoiding the joint rules.

Wright explained by saying his mind was occupied when Davis addressed him, and understood Davis to ask whether there was any great change in the organization of committees.

Morton said it was perfectly plain to him that the Senate, having withdrawn from the joint rules as it had the right, there were none in force. He read from the record showing that previously the Democrats held their views of the case. He believed their sole purpose now was to retain the 22d joint rule for counting the electoral vote. It was a wicked rule, universally condemned. He had been trying to abolish it for years.

Bayard said the 22d rule was the only objectionable one. Last session he attempted to secure the passage of a bill regulating the electoral count outside of the joint rules. He described the origin and workings of the rules. He reiterated his previous opinion that the rules could be terminated at the discretion of either House.

Edmunds quoted from his own and Merrimon's remarks last session, showing Merrimon had changed his opinion.

Merrimon said the change was wrought by reflection.

Edmunds paid graceful tribute to the late Speaker as a patriotic and honorable man, and quoted a decision on this question.

Edmunds said the joint rules were simply standing orders of each, repealable by either party. After further debate of the question, the decision of the chair was sustained; yeas 50, nays 4.

After a long debate, the question being on the appeal of Merrimon, the decision of the chair was sustained; yeas 50; nays 5. So the rule is not in force. Those voting nay were Maxey, Merrimon, White and Withers. Among the absentees in the Senate when the vote was taken were Jones, Sharon and Kelly.

Withers introduced a bill for the relief of owners and purchasers of land sold for direct taxes in the insurrectionary States; referred.

The joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution concerning the electoral count was read, after which the Senate went into executive session and adjourned till Monday.

House.

The committee on judiciary agree to report favorably on the resolution offered by Representative McCrary yesterday, providing for the appointment of a committee to act in conjunction with a committee of the Senate to secure a count of the electoral votes, and determination of the disputed question by a tribunal whose authority none can question, and whose decision all will accept as final.

The committee postponed action of the Colorado matter until next Monday.

The House committee on appropriations to-day assigned to Representatives Holman, Blount and Waldron the preparation of the postoffice appropriation bill, and this sub-committee will meet to commence their work to-morrow.

Piper introduced a bill establishing the Territory of Black Hills and providing a temporary form of government; referred.

Lemo[illegible] offered the following resolution:

Whereas, serious differences of opinion may arise between members of the two houses of Congress as to their jurisdiction and powers in joint session in counting the electoral vote, and the questions involved being questions of law.

Resolved, That the Senate be requested to appoint a committee to act with a committee of five to be appointed by the Speaker of the House in presenting to the Supreme Court such questions as either of said committees may deem important in the crisis and asking members of the Supreme Court to give Congress an opinion thereon.

Hastings rose to debate the question and it therefore went over under the rule.

Mills offered a resolution calling on the President for information as to whether the cavalry had been recently removed from the Texas frontier.

Baker introduced a bill proposing a constitutional amendment forbidding the payment of claims growing out of the loss of property during the late rebellion.

The pension appropriation bill passed.

Wood called up his resolution asking the President for copies of instructions and reports from military officers in the South since August. Republicans objected.

EASTERN NEWS.

A [illegible] Suicide.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 7.—[illegible] Fort Snelling to-day James McCann, formerly [illegible] soldier in Co. H, 20th U.S. Infantry, stood watching the operations of a buzz saw, when he suddenly rushed up and threw his head in front of the saw. Before the horrified workmen could reach him his head was fairly severed from the body, leaving the two bleeding parts hanging by the neck, presenting a spectacle of the most ghastly and sickening description. McCann was serving out a term of military imprisonment for [illegible].

[illegible]

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—[illegible] have been holding meetings to-night in various places in the Northwest firing guns and otherwise expressing gratification at what they believe to be certain election of Hayes and Wheeler. Chicago Democrats are preparing to demonstrate their enthusiasm at the [illegible] on Saturday.

[illegible] Penalty.

[illegible] Dec. 7.—[illegible] for the murder of William [illegible], was found guilty and sentenced to be hanged.

[illegible]

CINCINNATI, Dec. [illegible]—Frank [illegible] John was to-day found guilty in the United States district court of illegal voting at the Presidential election and committed to await sentence.

[illegible]

It is now stated that the State Department has satisfactory evidence that Tweed bribed the U. S. consul at Santiago de Cuba to procure a vessel for his escape to Cuba. The consul was dismissed to-day.

[illegible] Explosion.

DETROIT, Dec. 8.—The explosion of the boiler of Frost's [illegible] killed one, badly injuring others. Loss $25,000. Two hundred men are thrown out of employment.

[illegible] Travel.

NEW YORK, Dec. [illegible]—The [illegible] steamer [illegible] from Yokohama [illegible] via Hiogo, [illegible] and Suez [illegible] New York December [illegible] that [illegible] via San Francisco.

[illegible]

ALBANY, N. [illegible] Dec. [illegible]—A fire broke out in the Adelphi [illegible] and the [illegible] of the building was consumed.

[illegible]

NEW YORK, Dec. [illegible]—Gold closed at 7¾@7⅞; money [illegible]; governments [illegible]; stocks [illegible] W. U. 72¼; [illegible] 13; Pacific Mail [illegible]; [illegible] N. Y. C. 102¼; Erie 9; [illegible] U. [illegible] bonds 105¼; C. P. bonds [illegible].

[illegible] Wool Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. [illegible]—[illegible] quiet but firm; supply [illegible] California fine and medium, [illegible] coarse, [illegible].

The [illegible] War.

[illegible] Dec. [illegible]—The troops are [illegible] camp [illegible] infantry and artillery. [illegible] coming through [illegible] Noterman. No late [illegible] in awaiting the [illegible].

[illegible]

CHICAGO, Dec. [illegible]—[illegible]

[illegible]

NEW YORK, Dec. [illegible]—A man giving his name as [illegible] New York [illegible] attempted [illegible] this afternoon and [illegible]. He was placed in confinement [illegible].

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[illegible] New Democratic Paper.

WASHINGTON, Dec. [illegible]—The first number of a new Democratic paper [illegible] appears to-day. The leading article [illegible] in the [illegible] of this paper is to aid in convening the nation [illegible] subject to [illegible] which [illegible] in congress [illegible] of the vote of [illegible].

Democratic [illegible]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The Democratic house caucus was [illegible] to-day [illegible] this afternoon. [illegible] from the [illegible] resolution [illegible] for the appointment of a committee to co-operate with [illegible] by Democratic Senators to [illegible] the elections in the South [illegible] report to the [illegible] recommendation [illegible] Unanimously agreed to.

Fernando Wood [illegible] a resolution proposing to introduce a resolution in the House instructing the committee on judiciary to inquire into the [illegible] pending recent elections in the [illegible] and ascertain and report whether [illegible] of the [illegible] been any violation of law by the President.

Representative [illegible] moved that all matters under discussion be referred to a committee of 10, to report when the committees recently appointed by the House to examine into the elections in Louisiana, South Carolina and Florida shall have returned to Washington with all the facts in the case. The caucus acquiesced in Lamar's position.

During the caucus various members expressed their views. Nearly all the members [illegible] a character. The general sentiment was that the pending questions between the two parties respecting the electoral vote should be [illegible] and all [illegible] which would [illegible] the [illegible] be avoided, and in this connection [illegible] that there should be no more [illegible] impeachment of the President. The effort to [illegible] the [illegible] of the Senate. Discussion was principally participated in by Northern and Western Democrats, but [illegible] Southern Democrats were [illegible] their individual opinions, [illegible] expressed themselves as favorable to [illegible] and moderation, stating in this respect that the conduct of Wade Hampton offered an example worthy of emulation, but owing to the peculiar returns of the South they preferred not to take any active part in the discussion. The caucus adjourned subject to the call of Lamar, chairman.

Republican Senatorial Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Dec. [illegible]—Republican Senators held a caucus this morning. There was considerable interchange of views on the political situation, but no action was taken.

A Desert Land Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—A bill introduced by Piper to-day proposes to grant to Woosencraft and associates the Colorado river desert lands west of the river, [illegible] by action, as far as they convey from the river sufficient water to irrigate them. The grant is also conditional on Woosencraft's furnishing, within ten years, sufficient fresh water on said desert for the purposes of travel and emigration. Work must commence within ten years.

Black Hills Territory.

Piper [illegible] concerning the Black Hills country proposes the immediate creation of an ordinary Territorial government for that region. He considers this very important, and therefore will urge the prompt passage of the bill.

The Old Joint Rule Controversy given Up.

Great significance attaches to the Senate's action sustaining Ferry's decision that the joint rules of last Congress are no longer in force, as Bayard, Kernan, Wallace and a few other prominent Democratic Senators united with the Republicans in making this declaration which is exactly contrary to Speaker Randall's ruling in the House. Only four Democratic Senators voted the other way. The question probably will be again raised in the House and an appeal taken from Speaker Randall's decision with some prospect that sufficient Democrats will now unite with the Republican members to override it. The agreement of the House judiciary committee to recommend the adoption of McCrary's proposition looking to a count of the electoral votes by the U. S. Supreme Court is also considered highly significant of substantial acknowledgement that Gov. Grover's action will not necessarily result in throwing the Presidential election into the House. Excitement over the Presidential question has greatly subsided during the last 24 hours, and though much anxiety is still expressed, more general confidence prevails that the matter will be peacefully decided and the result accepted without serious disturbance in any quarter.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The judiciary committee will recommend the adoption of McCrary's resolution concerning the electoral count with an amendment extending one providing that the special committee shall consist of seven instead of five members. It will probably be reported to the House next Monday.

CANADA.

Closed by Ice.

ST. CATHARINES, [illegible] Dec. 8.—It is officially announced that the Welland canal closed Sunday.

REVOLUTION IN MEXICO.

Defeat of the Government Troops.

Flight of the President.

Triumphant Entrance of Diaz into the Capital.

A Counter Revolution—6,000 Men Marching on the Capital.

HAVANA, Dec. [illegible]—The English steamer from Vera Cruz brings the following startling intelligence:

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 1.—On the 16th ult. Porfirio Diaz defeated the Government army under Gen. Alatorre, near Huamantla, about 100 miles distance from the City of Mexico. Although [illegible] the [illegible] Diaz was nearly defeated [illegible] when Gen. Gonzales came up with 4,000 men, turning the scale and completely destroying Gen. Alatorre's army. [illegible] in favor of Diaz. [illegible]

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LONDON, Dec. 7.—[illegible]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 7.—The [illegible] [illegible] at the Russian [illegible]

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. [illegible]—[illegible] difficulties and delays from [illegible] at St. Petersburg [illegible] large concourse at the [illegible] the Debrezin and [illegible] pended.

BUCHAREST, Dec. [illegible]—The chamber of deputies to-day voted $800,000 for the [illegible] of the Roumanian army [illegible] year.

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THE BROOKLYN FIRE.

Further Particulars.

BROOKLYN, Dec. 7.

At the Adams street morgue the scene is horrible. Many charred bodies lay on the floor which could neither be identified nor distinguished as male or female. "My God!" said one poor woman, gazing at a mass of charred bones, "that may be my boy, but who can prove it." The remains of Dr. Franklin, dentist, on Portland avenue, were recognized by initials on the shirt collar. Capt. Crofts reports a distressing case of Mrs. Smith, a widow lady, and her daughter, Mrs. Simpson, who left their residence Tuesday evening to attend the theater, leaving a servant girl and an adopted orphan child alone in the house. Neither have returned, and, having no friends in the city, cannot be identified. Mrs. Simpson's husband was expected home from a long voyage on Saturday. The undertakers are very busy, and the police with difficulty keep the streets in the vicinity clear enough for the passage of vehicles. Pitiful scenes are occurring every hour. Two hundred and ninety-seven bodies have been put in the morgue. The mortality will probably reach 350. The aldermanic burial committee reports that 188 bodies were at the Adams street morgue and 96 at the city morgue at 11 o'clock to-day. Mr. Sheridan Shook was at the police station, reticent and intensely affected by the affair. Palmer is ill from constant work since the disaster, but Rogers, stage manager, and Secretary Gouge are empowered and anxious to furnish relief to those distressed or suffering from the calamity. Union square theater is closed until after the funeral of the victims of this awful calamity.

The aldermen and supervisors met jointly to-day to provide for the public burial of the unidentified bodies. The offer of the directors of Greenwood cemetery of a lot for 100 bodies was accepted. The proprietors of Park theater and Hodge's Opera House have offered their services on behalf of the sufferers. The Academy of Music will be used for funeral services Sunday, at 2 P. M. Among those present will be Bishop Littlejohn, Rev. Bishop Loughlin, Rev. Dr. Cuyler, Rev. Dr. Scudder, Rev. Dr. Putnam, Rev. A. S. Fitch, Rev. Dr Steimle and Rev. H. R. Nye. Many members of the Thirteenth Regiment have taken the place of police at the morgue, theater and other places, they being exhausted.

At the investigation by the fire marshal this afternoon, Sam'l W. Harvig, ticket receiver, Geo. Henry, property man, Chas. Strauben, one of the parties who made the escape from the gallery, were all examined and gave their versions of the calamity. Thos. Jackson, architect, testified to the structure of the building and its dimensions. He said it was as well provided with means of exit as any theater that the witness knows of; when the theater was erected particular attention was paid to gas jets and border lights.

Sympathy and Relief for the Sufferers.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The board of aldermen this afternoon passed a resolution deploring the calamity and sympathizing with the unfortunate families of the victims. Mayor Wickham was requested by them to call upon the citizens for contributions to alleviate the distress which would surely follow this visitation.

A meeting of actors and others was held this afternoon at the Park Theater to take action in regard to the calamity. A committee was appointed to arrange plays to be performed in different theaters for the benefit of the sufferers. A committee of citizens was also appointed to relieve the immediate wants of the sufferers. Fifteen hundred dollars was subscribed towards a relief fund. A number of theaters have tendered performances. Resolutions of regret at the loss of the actors Murdoch and Burrows, and condolence with their families were adopted. The city hall in Brooklyn was ordered by the aldermen to be draped in mourning out of respect to the dead.

The Number of Dead.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The *Tribune* says the number of dead by the Brooklyn disaster, officially reported by the coroner, is 292. The precise total will probably never be known, owing to the fact that dismembered limbs of many were scattered in the process of digging in the ruins. The number identified and removed up to last evening was 178. The lists show a total of 370 identified and missing, but it is impossible to avoid duplications in many instances, and this will account for the unnatural excess. Many bodies will have to be buried at once without further attempt at identification, as putrefaction has already set in. The coroner's jury was yesterday empaneled and commenced an investigation. Preparations for private interment of many bodies were begun yesterday, and arrangements for the burial of the uninterred at public expense will probably be made to-day.

Theatrical People Helping the Sufferers.

At a meeting of actors and actresses yesterday, to arrange for a benefit for the Brooklyn theater sufferers every regular theater and minstrel troupe in New York and Brooklyn was represented and a large number of theatrical people were represented individually. A resolution was adopted that every theatrical manager in the county be asked to contribute the proceeds of one performance to the relief fund.

Funeral Procession of a Whole City.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Brooklyn is literally walking in the valley of the shadow of death. Funerals of such of the victims of the disaster as have been identified is taking place, and through the streets in every part of the city hearses are moving, bearing remains to the cemeteries. About 35 men are at work on the ruins, and it is hoped the full extent of the calamity will be definitely ascertained within the next 24 hours. They have not succeeded in uncovering the dress circle, and it is therefore still uncertain how many, if any, of the spectators in it perished. One more body was found this morning in the parquette.

Eighty bodies are still in the morgue and 83 in Adams street morgue. Parts of some of the corpses have crumbled and look like heaps of offal. The carbolic acid is poured over them hourly by order of the board of health. Chloride of lime is scattered about the floor, and the decomposing of legs and trunks increase the offensiveness of the place. The coroner made further *post mortem* examinations to-day. Physicians believe most of the deaths were caused by suffocation.

The relief committee are now ascertaining the number of surviving relations and their condition. At the services in the Catholic churches to-day reference was made to the disaster, and the congregation were called upon to make manifest their Catholic charity in prayers for the dead and pecuniary aid for the living.

Before the Marshal, Keady, John Boyle testified he was in the gallery when the alarm was given. About a hundred got out before he did. He testified the fire broke out in the flies over the stage. Murdock requested all to be seated. He saw others sit down and saw flakes of fire falling on the stage. He thought it was part of the play. It started out when it increased. Some one fell over him, and then 25 or 30 tumbled, and the rush of the fire and smoke came like a whirlwind. People were panic stricken, crying that the stairs were falling, and for God's sake for some one to let them out. Not over 75 people got out. Perhaps 50 women were in the gallery.

Charles Adams testified that he first saw the fire from the dress circle in the scenery on the left corner of the stage. He described the first alarm and actors' appeals. Finally Mr. Studley said, "Go quick y!" and they rushed out. Witness was knocked down. Saw several ladies knocked down. Everybody was in a panic. The crowd rushed over prostrate women. If the audience had been requested to leave quietly when the fire first broke out, they might all have been saved. Witness thought some failed to get out of the dress circle. He heard no stairs break. M. E. Richardson was in the gallery. The panic occurred when the alarm was given. All rushed for the door. At the first landing, near the box office, witness fell on a man who stumbled, and it seemed as though all who followed fell on that heap. The place was dark and the smoke came in volumes on his face, but being familiar with the stairs he got up and found his way out. He looked but saw nobody coming down the gallery after him. They were all piled in a heap near the box office. The stage door was shut and on fire. The panic and want of better means of exit prevented people from escaping. He did not believe 100 people of the 400 or 500 in the gallery got out. Charles Holloway was in the gallery, and after numerous adventures jumped over the heads of the people and was at the ticket office when the lights went out. He found two piles of women on the stairs in the dark apparently dead. The fire burned his ear and nearly suffocated him.

Timothy Owen, stage hand, had an interesting escape, making his way through an underground passage to a coal bunk under the pavement, and succeeded in getting beneath the coal hole where his rappings attracted the attention of the bystanders who helped him out.

The funerals of the unidentified occur Saturday instead of Sunday. Memorial services, however, Sunday. To-morrow the militia will assemble in Schermerhorn street and the following procession will be formed: Police, band, clergy in carriages, hearse escorted by the military, friends in carriages, city officials in carriages, and citizens. The procession moves at one. Services in the cemetery will be prayers and music by the by the church chorals. Each coffin will in a separate vehicle by the undertakers. Schermerhorn street will be kept free from ordinary travel during the procession. Places of business will be closed from one to three o'clock. Great care will be taken to rob the services of unnecessary painful scenes. The lot in Greenwood where the bodies will be buried is selected where a trench fourteen feet deep is dug. A monument will be erected in the center of the plot. All coffins will be neat, plain, and similar, having only ornaments of diamond head tacks. About 3,000 infantry under command of General Dakin will form the escort.

Service Sunday afternoon will be held in Hooley's opera house, and Park Theater and Academy of Music. The vocal music will be under the direction of F. W. Lovejoy, and the instrumental music under the direction of L. Canterno, band master of 23d Regiment. The actors, masculine and feminine, with characteristic generosity, have promptly volunteered their services in aid of the fund for the relief of the suffering and impoverished surviving relatives of the dead. Clara Morris, Rose Eytinge and John T. Raymond are conspicuous volunteers, and Mr. McVicker has tendered the services of Edwin Booth. Members of the theatrical profession were appointed to communicate with every manager in the United States and ask their co-operation in raising of funds. J. T. Ford, it was promised, would give the proceeds of performances in Baltimore and Washington. Harry S. Griffith, who was in the dress circle with his wife, writes to Fire Marshal Keady: We were the last to leave our seats. We tried to escape by the doorway in the corner near where we were sitting, over which were the words: "Exit to Johnson street." We were driven back by the smoke and fire that was making its way through the partition, and when we turned around to go toward the main entrance all the people in the dress circle had got into the lobby. We had no difficulty in getting into the lobby, but found that it was blocked and we could get no farther. At that moment we were overwhelmed with smoke and after being nearly suffocated we escaped. I am sure that there was no one in dress circle behind us, and, with the exception of a woman lying on the stairs, and over whom I fell while coming down there were no females above the first landing when I brought my wife down. The story to the effect that some of the officers of the first precinct of Brooklyn had refused to allow certain men to escape by means of a grating from the basement of the theater during the fire is most emphatically contradicted by Police Captain Smith and his sergeants. They say that two men were rescued through the grating in question, and that that they were unaccompanied. They also declare that the part of the theater was searched by firemen after the alarm had been given and found empty.

MARRIED:

Near Walla Walla, Nov. 26, Wm. Gilbert and Miss Belle Russell.

In Walla Walla county, Nov. 30, J. Daniels and Mrs. Margaret Seitel.

DIED:

In this city, Dec. 8, Mary, eldest daughter of Patrick and Mary Moran, aged 5 years.
Funeral from residence on Eighth street bet. E and F, on Sunday at 2 o'clock.

In Pendleton, Dec. 1, Mrs. Lydia Sylvester, aged 61 years.

In McMinnville, Dec 7, Mrs. Mary Baker, aged 26 years.

In Arizona, Nov. 5, by drowning, Durham Hardisty, formerly of Umatilla.

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Family Blankets. Cradle Blankets, Bed Comforts and Marseilles Quilts for sale at 107 Third street, by
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Call and witness the Grand Display in the Window.

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TO THE CITIZENS OF WASHINGTON TERRItory and others—I have this day engaged Mr. C. B. FARLEMAN to act as my Agent in Washington Territory for the treatment of Hemorrhoids or Piles, by the "WIGHTMAN PROCESS." Persons suffering from the above terrible disease will do well to call and see him as he visits your towns and cities. Mr. Farleman will be at the Occidental Hotel, Seattle, W. T., on Tuesday, Dec. 12, and stop one week only, and then visit other towns on the Sound.
DR. C. F. WIGHTMAN.
N. B.—Mr. Farleman is perfectly competent, as he treats the disease under my direction. d8d3t

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Will be given at
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Le F. A. SHAW, Past Great Sachem.
W. H. UTTER, Great District Deputy.
G. FRANZ, P. S.

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THEO. BARKER,

No expense will be spared to make this the ball of the season.
TICKETS $1 50
Can be procured from Members of the Committee of Arrangements or at the Door.

DANCING SCHOOL.
Prof. D. K. HALPRUNER
Has opened his Dancing School, at
CITY RIFLES HALL.
Children's Classes Saturday afternoon.
GRAND SOIREES, every SATURDAY Evening.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS!
THE LARGEST STOCK OF
Sugar Toys, Sugar Hearts,
Crystallized Toys and Hearts,
Glazed Toys and Figures,
Fancy Boxes, Cornucopias,
Wax Candles, Candle-holders,
Christmas Tree Ornaments,
Flower and Dove Baskets,
Gelatin Goods,
French and American Candies,
Walnuts, Almonds, Filberts, etc.,
Plain and Ornamental Cake,
Lebkuchen and Pfeffernuesse,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
AT PRICES THAT DEFY COMPETITION!
Eastern and Shoalwater Bay Oysters,
IN EVERY STYLE
AT
ALISKY & HEGELE'S
Premium Candy Factory,
No. 105 FIRST STREET.
d2d&wlm

School Taxes for 1876.

THE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1, MULTNOMAH county, are now due and payable, and I am commanded by a warrant from the Board of Directors of said District, dated November 1, 1876, to collect the same within sixty days from the date of said warrant, and a recent law of the Legislature, approved Oct. 20, 1876, makes it my duty to return to the County Clerk the Delinquent List of all Taxes remaining unpaid at that time, and the law further authorizes the County Clerk to issue his warrant (together with the Delinquent List) to the Sheriff, commanding the said Sheriff to collect the same by seizure and sale of property, adding thereto his costs, besides costs of advertising.
Office—86 Front street, with Parrish & Cornell, Real Estate Brokers. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
GEO. W. MURRAY,
Clerk of School District No. 1.

TO MUSIC TEACHERS.
I HAVE RECEIVED SAMPLES OF THE
Chromatic Piano Hand Guide,
Invented by Mr. William Bohrer; endorsed and recommended by the most distinguished Pianists and Piano Professors of Europe and America.
Call and examine. Illustrated Catalogues sent on application.
GRAY'S MUSIC STORE,
Sole Agency for the
Steinway Pianos and Burdett Organs.

SOL'S RESTAURANT!
THE BEST ON THE PACIFIC COAST AND THE only one in Portland with
Four Elegant Parlors Attached
For the use of Families and Private Parties.
Whatever Delicacies the market affords will be found at this place. Ladies will find it the most convenient place to lunch while out shopping, where they will have the most polite attention.
Eastern Oysters a Specialty.
OPEN UNTIL 2 O'CLOCK A. M.

Special Auction Sales
FOR THE HOLIDAYS.
SALES OF
Fine Watches and Jewelry, Ornamental and Fancy Goods, Paintings and Chromos, and a large variety of Goods suitable for the Holidays, Toys and Fancy Goods direct from the importers, will be sold in lots to suit. Dealers, Societies, Committees and Pater Families can obtain their Holiday Goods at low rates!
OSCAR KILBOURN, Auctioneer

HODGE, SNELL & CO.,
Successors to
HODGE, CALEF & CO.,
Dealers in
Drugs, Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Etc., Etc.,
Nos. 73 FRONT and 70 FIRST STREETS,
PORTLAND, OREGON.

STOVES.
SOAP STONE STOVES.
A FEW OF THESE SUPERIOR STOVES, FOR sale by GEO. ABERNETHY,
1p Second st., bet. Salmon and Taylor.

NOTICE.
ALL PERSONS KNOWING THEMSELVES TO be indebted to the undersigned, will call at my store, 73 First street, and settle within thirty days, as I am closing up my business.
c2d30t JENNIE MACNAMARA.

BRITISH SHIP "LOCH FLEET."
NEITHER CAPT. ROBERTSON NOR THE UNdersigned Consignees of the above named vessel, will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.
d8d3t HENRY HEWETT & CO.

CAPTAIN'S NOTICE.
NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERsigned consignees of the Br. Ship "Hirsa," will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of said vessel.
d7d6 ALLEN & LEWIS.

CAPTAIN'S NOTICE.
BRITISH BARK "VALE OF DOON," CAPTAIN R. E. Barber, from Callao. Neither the Captain nor the undersigned Consignees of the above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.
d2d6t RODGERS, MEYER & CO.

CAPTAIN'S NOTICE.
BRITISH SHIP "SELINE," CAPTAIN RHODES, from Buenos Ayres. Neither the Captain nor the undersigned consignees of the above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.
d5d6t RODGERS, MEYER & CO.

DRY GOODS, MILLINERY, ETC.

JUST RECEIVED
AT
[illegible] WRINKLE & Co's
NEW
[illegible]
Corner Salmon and First Streets.
A LARGE STOCK OF
DRESS GOODS!
In all the New Shades, at 25c per yd. and upwards.
FINE FRENCH BLACK CASHMERES, 40 in. wide, $1 per yd.
FINE FRENCH COL'D CASHMERES, in all the new shades, at reduced rates.
BLACK ALPACAS, 25c per yd. and upwards.
BLACK and COL'D EMPRESS CLOTHS.
A full Stock of Bleached and Brown SHEETINGS, in all widths.
COTTON and WOOL FLANNELS, at prices below competition.
WATERPROOFS, in Plaids and Plain colors, 75c to $1 25 per yd.
FELT SKIRTS, 75c and upwards.
COTTON and WOOL HOSIERY, all qualities.
A good quality Two-Button KID GLOVE, $1 00 per pair.
Best quality French Two-Button KID GLOVE, $1 50 per pair.
1000 Articles of FANCY GOODS, too numerous to mention.
Ladies' and Gents' FURNISHING GOODS, all prices.
We guarantee our Goods to be just as represented and we DEFY COMPETITION.
J. N. D. WRINKLE & CO.,
Cor. First and Salmon sts.

F. van FRIEDAGH,
Dry Goods, Millinery, Notions.
A Complete Stock in Every Department of
Fall and Winter Styles.
LADIES' GENTLEMEN'S & CHILDREN'S UNDERCLOTHING.
s30d2m

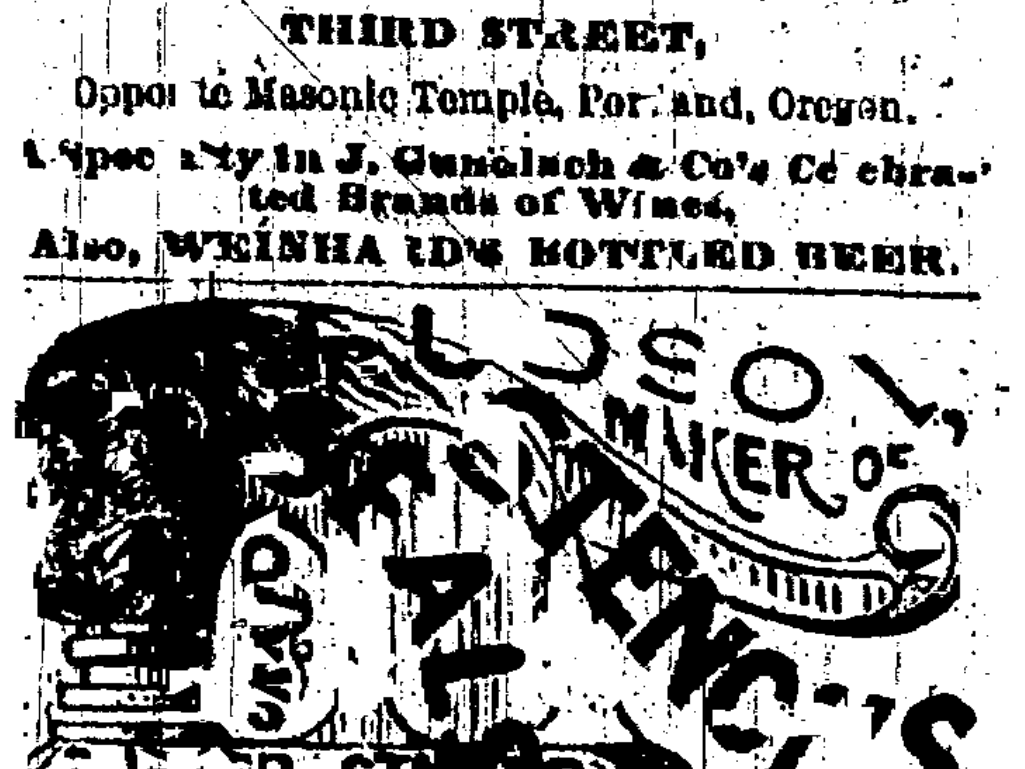
At Cost for [illegible] Days
SPLENDID GOODS
FOR THE
APPROACHING HOLIDAYS!
AT
C. C. BARRETT'S.
Elegantly Bound Gift Books, Standard Works in every Variety of Binding, Family Bibles, Pocket Bibles, Testaments, Prayer Books, Hymn Books, Catholic Prayer Books, Juvenile Toy Books, Games, Alphabet and Building Blocks, in endless Variety.
Also, call special notice to our Large Stock of
Staple and Fancy Stationery,
Photograph Albums, Writing Desks, Portfolios, Gold Inkstands, Gold Pens and Pencils, Chess Boards, Chess and Checkermen, Russia Leather Portmonnaies, Purses and Wallets, Globes and Maps.
Latest Styles
Paris, Granite & Rep Papeteries
Perpetual Diaries, Reward Cards, Pictures, Opera Glasses, Work Boxes, Fine Pocket Knives, Bank Books, Memorandum and Pass Books.
LARGEST STOCK OF TOYS IN THE CITY.
n6d1m

PIONEER SAIL FACTORY.
W. C NOON,
FRONT AND VINE STREETS,
Boat Sails and Tarpaulins
Made and Repaired.
Fishermen supplied with Boat Sails at lowest rates
Large supply of Ship Duck and Canvas in store.

BOOTS & SHOES
AT COST!
For the Next 30 Days,
AT THE
City Boot and Shoe Store,
43 FIRST STREET.
A. DIELSCHNEIDER is my authorized Agent to conduct and carry on for me said business.
ELIZABETH DIELSCHNEIDER.

HOLIDAY GOODS.
AN IMMENSE STOCK OF
BOOKS,
STATIONERY
and Fancy Goods,
NOW ARRIVING AT
J. K. GILL & CO'S,
75 FIRST STREET.

RICHARD KNOLL,
DEALER IN
PURE WINES AND LIQUORS,
THIRD STREET,
Opposite Masonic Temple, Portland, Oregon.
A Specialty in J. Gundlach & Co's Celebrated Brands of Wines,
Also, WEINHARD'S BOTTLED BEER.



45 First Street, Portland, Oregon.

NOTICE.
Oregon Steamship Comp'y.
ON AND AFTER THIS DATE NO PERSONS will be allowed on the Company's Dock during the landing of passengers and baggage from the San Francisco Steamers without a pass from this office. GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.
Portland, Ogn., Dec. 4, 1876. d4d6t

PACIFIC WOOD YARD,
FOOT OF MAIN STREET,
ALL KINDS OF WOOD CONSTANTLY ON hand, sawed and unsawed, and delivered to any part of the city. R. R. RILEY.

NOTICE.
CAUTION. EVERYBODY NOT TO BUY Wheat Receipt given by us to Doc or H. A. Davis for 1,366 58/100 bushels, and dated October 23, 1876, as we have bought the Wheat.
d6d3 S. & I. SELLER, Harrisburg.

WANTS.

WANTED.
NURSE GIRL. CALL AT CORNER OF MORrison and Sixth streets. d7d3t

WANTED.
2,000 TWO THOUSAND DRESSED HOGS, of the best Grain Fed, heavy and light, for which the highest Market Price will be paid, in large or small lots, delivered at the Port House of HARVEY & LARBER.
Portland, Nov. 8, 1876. 85 Main street.

TO LET.

FOR RENT.
A ROOM FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, with or without board, in a pleasant neighborhood, convenient to business. Address J. A. P., Oregonian office.

TO RENT.
ELEVEN ROOMS, IN SUITS or SINGLE rooms, corner of Ash and First streets. Apply to ALEX. P. ANKENY.

A HOUSE TO RENT,
CORNER OF THIRD AND MARKET STREETS. Enquire at THOMPSON HOUSE, or to L. PARRISH, House Agent.

ROOMS TO LET.
FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED, WITH OR without Board, cor. Fifth and Jefferson streets, by MARY WETMORE. n10d1m

TO LET.
FIRST CLASS ROOMS TO RENT BY THE DAY or week, with the accommodation of the Parlors. Cor. Front and Ash sts. o21d

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.
THE STORE AND DWELLING NOW OCCUPIED by [illegible] Bean, at Freeport, Cowlitz county, W. T., together with the Stock and Fixtures. A person with small capital can do a safe and profitable business at his place. d7d&wlm

FOR SALE.
PARTIES ENGAGED IN THE BUSINESS CAN find a well selected stock of Winter Hats, Bonnets and Trimmings, with a good assortment of Flowers, and Fancy Notions. Also, Counters, Shelving and Cases will be offered for the next thirty days low for cash. Address Mrs. E. E. PARSONS, 166 Third street, or box 4[illegible] n24d

FARM FOR SALE.
SITUATED ON THE COLUMBIA RIVER, TWO miles below Switzer's landing, opposite Vancouver, and only 7 miles from Portland. The Farm consists of 32[illegible] acres, part in cultivation and a good stock range, besides an excellent orchard. On the Farm are a dwelling, barn and warehouse in good condition. Also, good water. The Stock includes 20 head of milch cows, 4 good work horses, sheep and hogs, in addition to farming utensils complete. Will be sold at a reasonable figure. Apply on the premises. n16dtm W. STEPHENS.

FOR SALE.
ONE EXCELLENT FAMILY HORSE; One Buggy and Harness; One Basket Phaeton, two seats; two Saddles. Apply to D. S. HARRINGTON, at [illegible] & Co's, [illegible] Front street. n4d1m

PROPERTY FOR SALE.
IN LEWIS COUNTY, W. T., ONE STORE BUILDing, and Stock of Goods, Hay Shed and Stock in Warehouse, at Chehalis Station, N. P. R. R. County Seat of Lewis county. 320 acres of good Wild Bottom Land on Coulitz river, very light growth of timber. [illegible] acres of land 1½ mile north of Chehalis station. For particulars and terms enquire of [illegible] L. GOLDSMITH & CO., Portland, Ogn, or GEO. [illegible] HOGE, Chehalis, Lewis Co., W. T.

Toys! Toys and Fancy Goods!

[illegible]
N. W. CORNER [illegible] AND [illegible] STS.,
INVITES SPECIAL ATTENTION TO HIS Large and well Selected Stock of
HOLIDAY GOODS
Consisting of
FANCY GOODS [illegible]
[illegible]
WORK BOXES,
DOLLS [illegible]
[illegible] of all descriptions,
MECHANICAL TOYS,
[illegible] WAGONS, [illegible] of all Kinds.
TOYS too numerous to mention.
All of which I am offering to the trade
AT REDUCED RATES.
Country Dealers are requested to examine my stock before purchasing. 9p

[illegible] & [illegible],
96 First Street, between Stark and Oak,
PORTLAND, OREGON,
Manufacturers, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
FURS.
Offer a Complete Stock of
Ladies', [illegible] Gents' and Children's Furs,
In great variety from the costly RUSSIA SABLE down to the cheap French Coney.
An Extra Fine Quality of
SEAL & MINK SACQUES.
A Large Assortment of
FUR TRIMMINGS.
A Fine Lot of
BUCK AND BUFFALO ROBES.
Every Article Guaranteed.
All of which will be sold at extremely LOW PRICES. o24d3m

KARL SELLING & CO.,
Importers & Wholesale Dealers in
Fine Liquors, Wines & Cigars.
WE BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT WE HAVE this day been appointed Sole Agents for Jesse Moore & Co's Louisville, Kentucky, Celebrated
[illegible] WHISKIES,
which we import directly from the Manufacturers, and are therefore able to offer them to the trade at Greatly Reduced Rates.
Jesse Moore & Co's Brands of Whiskies are considered to be the Purest and Best in the Market, and no Drug Store, Saloon or Family should be without them. KARL SELLING & CO.
S. W. cor. Second and Morrison sts.

SANTA CLAUS' EMPORIUM.
TOYS! TOYS! TOYS!
WILLIAM [illegible] & SON
Have just received the finest Stock of
TOYS & FANCY GOODS
in the State, consisting of all the latest Novelties of [illegible]
Corner Front and Alder Streets.

JAPAN TEA.
THE CELEBRATED
BRAND
HAS THE MOST EXTENDED REPUTATION of any Tea consumed on the Pacific Coast.
For sale by all Tea Dealers in California, and at Wholesale in Portland, Oregon, by ALLEN & LEWIS and W. K. [illegible] & CO.
C. ADOLPHE LOW & CO.,
n6d1m3 &w3m Importers, San Francisco.

FOR TILLAMOOK!
THE SCHOONER
KATIE L. HERON,
Will receive FREIGHT on and after to-day, Dec. [illegible] For particulars apply to EVERDING & FARRELL.

DR. WILSON'S
OFFICE REMOVED TO HIS NEW ROOMS AT [illegible] between [illegible] and Fourth streets, entrance on B street

AUCTION [illegible]
A. B. [illegible]
COR. OF FRONT [illegible]
Auction [illegible]
OF REAL ESTATE, GROCERIES [illegible]
CHATTELS [illegible]
Sale Days—Wednesday [illegible]
Large assortment of [illegible]
Liberal [illegible]
to parties [illegible]
that I will purchase [illegible]
A. B. [illegible]
Regular [illegible]
Furniture, [illegible]
WEDNESDAY, [illegible]
BEDROOM [illegible]
FURNITURE [illegible]
20 bxs CANDLES
170 bxs SOAP
150 cs OLIVE OIL
75 hlf bbls [illegible]
A. B. [illegible]

North British [illegible]
Fire [illegible]
OF LONDON [illegible]
CAPITAL [illegible]
Reserve and [illegible]
Total [illegible]
Premium [illegible]
Losses Paid [illegible]

ECKH[illegible]
Fire Insur[illegible]
Capital, [illegible]
Assets, [illegible]
Income, 187[illegible]
Losses paid [illegible]
HAM[illegible]
73 First [illegible]

Capital, [illegible]
First National [illegible]

IMP[illegible]
JOHNS[illegible]
AGENTS [illegible]
THURBER'S [illegible]
McEWAN'S [illegible]
IND COOPE [illegible]
Rice [illegible]
Guinness' [illegible]
RED CAPE [illegible]
Scotch and [illegible]
DRY [illegible]
CURRY [illegible]
SAUCES.
SALAD and [illegible]
EPSOM SALTS [illegible]
NESIA.
SAGO and [illegible]
CORN [illegible]
PIANOS.
PAINTS and [illegible]
CHLORIDE OF [illegible]
WHEAT & [illegible]
200 Bush [illegible]
Best [illegible]
Shelf and [illegible]
MECHANIC[illegible]
JOHN B. [illegible]
OF FRONT [illegible]

MRS. [illegible]
No. 50 Morrison St., [illegible]
HAS JUST RECEIVED [illegible] ment of [illegible] offering at astonishingly [illegible]
Price List—Finest [illegible]
22 inches 2½ ounces [illegible]
24 " 3
24 " 3½
26 " 4
28 " 4½
30 " [illegible]
A handsome collection [illegible]
The Marguerite [illegible]
She begs to announce [illegible] ments with a first class [illegible] to receive orders [illegible]

WHEREAS, [illegible] any cause of [illegible] public against trusting [illegible] this date, Dec. 7th, 187[illegible]
d6d6t

The Daily Oregon

SATURDAY MORNING, DE

CITY.

"SPIRITS."—Our evening cote
votes a good deal of space to a se
sational account of "spiritual mai
which are alleged to take place
house situated near the base
Hill, occupied by a family na
From the account furnished it
every night a shower of stones
against the house, greatly to the a
the occupants, who have devi
methods to catch the perpetrators
them. All efforts thus far made
unsatisfactorily. Although due v
exercised, no one could be detected
charitable business of throwing
house. Regularly every night
was pelted with stones, hurled
hands, until all the windows in th
smashed. At length the annoyance
so intolerable that Mr. Miller an
were compelled to desert the
ler, we are made to understand
ist, and he and his friends
these nocturnal missiles
hands." The "spirits," in
ment, are more corporeal than
are neither more nor less than
hoodlums, who congregate on the
and throw stones down on the
For some time past, Mr. Miller and
ually inclined friends have been
of assembling at his house
"circles" and "seances."
probable that the boys in the
acquainted with the proceedings
Miller's house, and chose the
posed above to show their
of approval. When the
out, we will warrant that
"spirits" are nothing but

HOUSE BURGLARIZED.—
same time, the residence of
situated about three miles
Clackamas county, at a
Brook, was burglarized.
work on his farm during
Mrs. Bryant went on a visit
leaving the house deserted
Returning home late in the
Bryant was surprised to find
open and the house ransacked
bottom. Everything about
turned topsy-turvy, and
chaotic confusion. It was
that the thieves had got away
which was in the
Bryant is, we learn,
trict in which he lives.
went to Oregon City
lotted to that district
as the term of school
out. He kept that
dreaming that his
ized. Mr. Bryant is in rather
stances, and the loss
heavily on him. He
day night and notified the police
thus far no clue has been
petrators of the robbery.

DICKENS' CHRISTMAS CAROL.—
rian Sunday School have
Theater for that
tainment, which they
delight to all who attend
December 2d.
parts, by Mr. F.
lowing tableaux
with appropriate 1.
Marley's Ghost. 2.
Spirit. 3. The C
Dinner. 4.
Eve Party.
Feast, with
and
now
"Palace of Art

OIL PAINTINGS.—
the Palace of Art
oil paintings from
The paintings
the Willamette valley
there are in all
three years Mr. Hanson
over this
tory, taking sketches
beautiful scenery
Palace to canvas.
at the Palace of Art
Mr. Hanson is
He will
four months and then
he will pursue his
ago Mr. Hanson
longs to Capt. Ainsworth.

HIGHLY PRIZED ARTICLES LOST.—
Dunur, when leaving the
Tuesday, Dec. 5th, in
package containing a pair of
and an old silver teaspoon,
no value to the finder, but
valued by the owner
being very old and worn
hundred years ago, and
by the lady who committed
If the finder will return them to
Farmer at Salem, by express or
be considered a great favor.
requested to publish this item.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The
will sail for San Francisco this
o'clock. She carries hence a full
the following passengers: L. L.
G. R. Powel, J. Mayer, Capt.
U. S. N., J. W. Coghlan, J.
son, D. H. Baldridge, M. Kane,
ant, A. Foyes, Mrs. H. C. Stanton
J. W. Meyers, G. P. Warren,
E. C. Merriman, J. F. Foster, Mrs.
and family, Wells, Fargo & Co's
steerage—Thos. Magee, A. Scott, J.
C. Redcliff, G. Rotherman, J. O
Sticks, J. F. Leach and wife.

EARTHQUAKE.—T. J. Rieder, of
T., reports that on Wednesday
quarter to 9, the people were
deafening noise, dying away to a
sound, followed by a trembling of
The noise lasted about half a
shock was of only a few seconds
minute or two before a bright
through the air in a northwesterly
The cause of noise and shock has
discovered and is thought to have
earthquake. Twice before this fall
been shocks.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the rec
U. S. Signal Station of Observation,
Oregon, Dec. 8, 1876:

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.
Observed Barometer	30.90	30,130
Bar. for temp. & eleva.	30.242	30,182
Thermometer	[illegible]	38
Relative Humidity	69	90
Wind, direction	[illegible]W	NW.
Wind, velocity	[illegible]	2
Weather	Foggy.	Clear.
Maximum ther.		
Minimum ther.		

LOADING.—The fine British ship
now on the berth at Corbitt & Macle
receiving a cargo of wheat for Eu
soon as the *Royal* completes her
Loch Fergus will commence recei
at the same dock. Both these vesse
der charter to Messrs. Corbitt & Mac

LIBERAL ASSOCIATION.—The regular
meeting in Good Templar's Hall to
will discuss the proposition "that al
supported either wholly or in part
tion should be purely secular." At
Dr. Harvey will give a lay sermon
subject: "The Rule of Right."

ADVANCE IN FLOUR.—Flour was
to six dollars *per* barrel for wholesal
last Monday, and yesterday was fu
vanced to six dollars and one-fourt
rel with an upward tendency, al
wheat quotations.

LIST OF LETTERS.—The following
main uncalled for at Wells, Fargo &
fice: Harvey S. Brown, Mrs. Bel
C. W. Clark, A. Glubetich, S. Hem
S. Parrott.

For fine Hats and of the latest sty
Meussdorffer's, 111 Front street.

Men's and boys clothing at Kohn's

For the finest jewelry go to B. L. S

When you want a tip top lunch,
Barnes at the Market.

Oregonian.

URDAY MORNING. DEC. 9, 1876.

CITY.

—Our evening cotemporary de- good deal of space to a somewhat sen- account of "spiritual manifestations" are alleged to take place nightly at a situated near the base of Robinson occupied by a family named Miller. account furnished it appears that a shower of stones all on and the house, greatly to the annoyance of occupants, who have devised various to catch the perpetrators and chastise All efforts thus far made have resulted Although due vigilance was no one could be detected in the un- of throwing rocks at the every night the building with stones, hurled by invisible until all the windows in the house was At length the annoyance became that Mr. Miller and his family to desert the house. Mr. Mil- made to understand, is a spiritual- he and his friends are convinced that missiles came from "spirit The "spirits," in our humble judg- more corporeal than ethereal, and more nor less than a crowd of who congregate on the bluff above down on the building. For Mr. Miller and his spirit- have been in the habit at his house and holding "seances." It is more than boys in the vicinity became with the proceedings held at Mr. and chose the method men- their disbelief and want the mystery is ferrited warrant that the imagined are nothing but street Arabs.

—Thursday afternoon the residence of Mr. O. W. Bryant, three miles from Oswego, in county, at a place known as Spring Mr. Bryant was at his farm during the afternoon, and a visit to a neighbor's, house deserted for a few hours. late in the afternoon, Mrs. surprised to find one of the doors ransacked from top to about the premises was and was in a state of It was soon ascertained got away with about $100 house at the time. Mr. clerk of the school dis- he lives. A few days ago he City and drew the money al- district, which was about $200, of school being taught is almost that sum in his house, never his premises would be burglar- is in rather limited circum- the loss sustained will fall rather He came to this city Thurs- notified the police here, but clue has been obtained of the per- of the robbery.

CAROL."—The Un- School have secured New Market that charming Christmas enter- which they feel assured will give who attend, Saturday evening, Reading of the Carol in seven Mr. L. F. Henderson, with the fol- tableaux as illustrations, produced scenery: 1. Scrooge and 2. Scrooge and the Child The Cratchit Family's Christmas Blind-man's-buff at the Christmas 5. Old Joe's Junk Shop. 6. 7. The Happy Cratchit the Philanthropist, Tickets to be Snell & Co.'s, Morse's J. K. Gill's, Clarke & Len- prominent stores in the city.

—There are on exhibition at First street, a number of from the brush of Mr. Han- known Danish artist of Oregon. views on the Columbia valley and Puget Sound. paintings. For the past has traveled exten- and Washington Terri- of some of the most transferring them at his The pictures will remain during the present winter, a passenger on the outgoing remain in San Francisco return to Oregon, where profession. Several years one of his large paint-

ARTICLES LOST.—Hon. A. J. leaving the up train at Salem, in his seat a small containing a pair of linen pillow slips silver teaspoon, which could be of value, but which articles are owner of them, the linen cloth and woven by hand over a and held as an heirloom committed them to his charge. will return them to *Villamette* by express or by mail, it will great favor. Other papers are publish this item.

—The steamer *Ajax* San Francisco this morning at 6 carries hence a full freight and passengers: L. L. Brownwell, J. Mazer, Capt. J. H. Jossir, J. A. Farrel, Han- M. Kane, N. W. Tall- C. Stanton and child, G. P. Warren, R. M. McKay man, J. F. Foster, Mrs. E. B. Scott Wells, Fargo & Co's messenger; Thos. Magee, A. Scott, J. S. Brown, G. Rotherman, J. O'Brien, J. Leach and wife.

—T. J. Reeder, of Pekin, W. on Wednesday night about a the people were startled by a dying away to a rumbling by a trembling of the earth. about half a minute, but the of only a few seconds' duration. A two before a bright meteor shot the air in a northwesterly direction. of noise and shock has not been and is thought to have been an Twice before this fall there have

—From the records of the Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Dec. 8, 1876:

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
ometer	30,.90	30,150	30,190
eleva.	30,242	30,182	30,220
	[illegible]	38	32
Humidity	89	90	100
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	[illegible]	8	4
	Foggy.	Clear.	Clear.
			39°
			28°

—The fine British ship *Noval* is berth at Corbitt & Macleay's wharf cargo of wheat for Europe. As the *Noval* completes her cargo, the will commence receiving grain dock. Both these vessels are un- to Messrs. Corbitt & Macleay.

ASSOCIATION.—The regular 2 o'clock in Good Templar's Hall to-morrow, the proposition "that all schools either wholly or in part by taxa- should be purely secular." At 1:30 P. M. will give a lay sermon in verse, "The Rule of Right."

IN FLOUR.—Flour was advanced dollars per barrel for wholesale rates on Monday, and yesterday was further ad- to six dollars and one-fourth per bar- with an upward tendency, along with quotations.

OF LETTERS.—The following letters re- uncalled for at Wells, Fargo & Co.'s of- Harvey, S. Brown, Mrs. Belle Bryant, Clark, A. Glubetch, S. Heminan, Wm.

Hats and of the latest styles, call at 111 Front street.

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the finest jewelry go to B. L. Stone's.

you want a tip top lunch, interview at the Market.

SPECIAL CHURCH NOTICES.

Plymouth Sabbath School, corner of Fourteenth and E streets, meet at 3 P. M. A full attendance desired as we want to make arrangements for Christmas celebration.

Rev. Mr. May will hold service at the Synagogue Beth Israel to morrow at 6 o'clock P. M. He will deliver a discourse on the subject, "Chanukah, Weihefest or Weihnachten, or Christmas."

Unitarian Church.—Rev. E. I. Galvin will preach Sunday forenoon at 11. Subject—"The Helping Hand versus The Condemning Spirit in the Restoration of Sinners." Evening service at 7½. Subject—"The Irrepressible Conflict." All are cordially invited.

Rev. Dr. Fridrichsen will hold lectures on Genesis in Norwegian language next Sunday, and also in the future at 3 o'clock, P. M., and will preach on the prescribed Gospel at 7 o'clock, P. M.; all in the basement of the First Presbyterian Church of Portland.

Rev. D. J. Pierce will preach in the Baptist church on Fourth and Alder streets, at 11 A. M., subject, a talk with Sunday school scholars and Bible students about the Bible, its origin and use. Bible reading at 7 o'clock, upon love as a motive power in the universe.

Public worship and preaching the gospel at the Presbyterian Church, conducted by the pastor, A. L. Lindsley, to-morrow morning and evening. Subject in the evening—"Some views of the Centennial Exposition of the Industry of all Nations," a lecture designed for workers in every department.

First Congregational Church, corner Second and Jefferson—services morning and evening, conducted by Rev. J. H. Acton. Evening service will be the reception of new members into the church and the communion of the Lord's supper. Seats free. Strangers are cordially invited. Sabbath school half-past 12.

Taylor Street M. E. Church. Preaching tomorrow by the Pastor Rev. C. V. Anthony at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Subject in the morning, "Give Attendance to Reading." In the evening, "We Know in Part." Sunday School at 2 P. M. Young People's prayer meeting on Thursday evening. All are cordially invited.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE "BOHEMIAN GIRL."—Balfe's charming opera in two acts was rendered last evening at New Market Theater to a large, fashionable and, from indications, we should judge, a thoroughly appreciative audience. It is needless to add that this beautiful opera, sparkling with so many musical gems, and abounding in situations and incidents charming and pathetic, was rendered in a felicitous manner. Miss Clara Thompson personated the *role* of "Arline," Miss Winston "Gipsey Queen," H. Bracy, "Thaddeus," E. Farley, "Count Arnheim," A. H. Bell, "Devil's Hoof." The performance gave entire satisfaction—even to the most critical—a more delighted audience is seldom seen. Following "The Bohemian Girl," and concluding the evening's entertainment, the celebrated Prison Act from Offenbach's "La Perichole," was rendered, which sent everyone away well pleased. At 2 o'clock this afternoon a matinee performance will be given for the accommodation of the ladies and little people. By particular request, Offenbach's "La Grand Duchess" will be rendered. This evening Lecocq's celebrated opera comique, "Girofle Girofla," will be produced. "La Fille de Madame Angot" is underlined for Monday. We are gratified to note that a very noticeable increase in the attendance was observable last night, and hope that jammed houses may greet this afternoon and evening's performances.

THE COURTS.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK, J.

FRIDAY, Dec. 8, 1876.

L. Kiernan vs. Frank Gatens; decision of clerk allowing plaintiff bill of costs and disbursements affirmed.

Chas. Bartel, adm'r, vs Adam Lape; motion for new trial overruled; motion for judgment notwithstanding the verdict overruled; five days allowed to file bill of exception.

W. H. Adams vs Multnomah county; decision of the county court affirmed.

John Ringaub vs Wm. Dellinger; cause dismissed.

John Catlin vs James Loomis; objection amended, argued and submitted.

Joseph Bauer vs Alonzo Gates; writ of review argued and submitted.

Chas. Bartel vs Adam Lape; judgment on the verdict.

Court adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

EUGENE ITEMS.

Our correspondent at Eugene sends the following under date of Dec. 8th:

Wheat 93½@94.

Hon. W. H. Odell will leave for Washington next Monday.

The firemen of this city have resolved to give their annual ball on Christmas.

Mr. DuBois, of Albany, has purchased the Astor House, and will henceforth play the host.

Five cases of smallpox are reported on Spencer creek, eight miles west of Eugene. A mystery attaches itself to these cases, as to the manner in which they became exposed to the disease, this being the only place where it was prevalent, and all cases here were discharged fully six weeks before theirs broke out.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Grand opening of the "Arion" this (Saturday) evening, by Gerhard Franz.

Ladies are requested to read the announcement of Mrs. H. Ach, of the "City of Paris Store," corner Morrison and Second streets. She has just received a magnificent stock of goods by the *Ajax*. Call and see her assortment.

We call attention to the advertisement of Messrs. C. W. Knowles and Richard Clinton. These gentlemen have assumed copartnership relations in the management of Oro Fino Saloon. Price of drinks reduced to the usual rates. Give them a call.

BRIEF NOTES.

Matinee.

Crisp and cold.

"Girofle, Girofla" to-night.

Good time for oysters and fire.

The *Ocean Spray* will be sold this day at 11 o'clock, by the U. S. marshal. Kilbourn, auctioneer.

Mr. Geo. Woodward has been appointed assignee of the Oregon Iron Works Co., adjudged bankrupts.

At home are Gus. Miller & Co to night at the Germania.

What is better for a present than jewelry? The best at Stone's.

Gents' woolen gloves fifty cents per pair at Kohn's.

Your sister will want a present. Get it at B. L. Stone's.

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Pacific Boot and Shoe House have just received a large lot of new and stylish goods per steamer Ajax, comprising some of the best work ever brought to this city, and need only to be seen to be appreciated. Give them a call, and they will be most happy to show you their beautiful goods.

J. N. Crabb will sell pools on Friday, 8th December, at the Cosmopolitan Saloon, on the great four-mile and repeat race, to be run at San Francisco December 9th. Will have the first dispatches of each heat run.

Mrs. B. A. Owens, M. D., Office and residence, east side First street, between Yamhill and Taylor. Special attention given to Women and Children complaints. Also gives Medicated Vapor Baths, combined with Electricity, in treating Rheumatism and Chronic Diseases.

Having purchased the interest of W. H. Andrus, Esq., in the Occidental Hotel, I will be happy to meet my friends in future at this house.

THOMAS SMITH.

Know all people by these presents that I, *Santa Claus*, arrived per steamer *Geo. W. Elder*, and have left my *Budget of Toys* and Christmas Presents with Wm. Beck & Son, for distribution in the city of Portland.

SANTA CLAUS.

Dr. Halpruner, chiropodist, is prepared to receive persons at his office, No. 105 First street, for the treatment of all complaints of the feet. Corns, bunions, etc., operated on; also feet treated by the month or year.

GALLANT AND HUMANE CONDUCT OF CAPT. CLEMENTS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

In simple justice, and from grateful hearts, we, the undersigned, passengers on the tug *Gen. Canby*, at the time of the disaster of recent date, wish to add to a good attempt of "E. C. H.," your regular correspondent, and tell the people of Oregon that, but for the genuine American pluck, the chivalrous hearted nature and, mark you, the thorough seamanship of Capt. Clements, God only knows where we might have been. The tug *Canby*, under her master, was coming over the bar. We were bound up in the belief that under the Captain's instructions we could make the transit. Now, sir, we are thankful to a sailorman, for it proved we could not, and had he not held us in a grip coming only from the true sailor, yes, for 14 hours, making to windward,—the town here would have been in general mourning. We are told that Capt. Clements deprecates anything like praise. Why, sir, it is the natural action of any sailorman, raised where he was; but we intend to have the fact of our rescue nailed down tight, so that an intelligent public shall see just where this young man was heroic.

We started from Shoalwater Bay, and at 2 P. M., December 2d, attempted to cross the bar—a rough bar—without even an excuse for sail, other than a jib. She (the *Canby*) under the direction of her master pointed for the seething, foaming breakers on the bar. In her exposed position it is now no wonder we were struck by a sea. But E. C. H. does not tell the sequel. It was a strong ebb tide, and but for that fact our destruction was certain. The sea which boarded us generally demoralized the entire boat, even putting out our fires, hence leaving us entirely at the mercy of chances. We had but a jib and could not claw off shore. Now we have a man bring a sailing vessel in such tempestuous weather within one mile of the breakers and take us to him. How can we be otherwise than thankful to him? We had not a rope or line of any kind, even our anchors were gone, and this noble hearted sailor man comes beating to windward, in imminent peril for himself and crew, for he is a sailing ship, and takes us in tow, sending his boat with his first officer to take us aboard him, and actually towing us with ebb tide clear of the surf. Our steamer got us off shore and held us till assistance came from town. Had not Captain Clements staid by us we certainly must have perished.

It is sad to think of the loss of the young child, a daughter of Mrs. Jordan, and the responsibility of her death remains in the hands of the Coroner to decide. But looking to living issues, the heroic action of Capt. Clements is something so unusual, even in emergencies, that we cannot refrain from having the people of Oregon know just who are conducting their coastwise trade.

We were in tow of the *Whistler* fourteen hours, having parted our hawser and having received from Capt. Clements a new one belonging to his ship, we held to him safely, thank God! until the tug came to our rescue. A good illustration of the chances of life in such an emergency is offered by the case of Mr. Smith's child, who was swept out of the window by the same sea which took Mrs. Jordan's child, but held to the boat by her little dress being caught in a hinge of the window, an almost miraculous occurrence, thereby saving her life.

Mr. Editor, the questions of salvage, of towage, or anything else connected with this sad affair, does not concern us. We only want to show our grateful thanks to young Captain Clements for our delivery, and we hereby earnestly thank him from the bottom of our hearts. We feel our delivery to have been due to his efforts alone, and hence we feel naturally kind to him. Please publish this in justice to him.

SYDNEY V. SMITH,
MARTHA SMITH,
For the passengers of the *Canby*.

Gents' overcoats at Kohn's Clothing Palace.

Meussdorffer is always having something new; it is the Custom Hat now.

Mr. J. B. Brouillette, Arcade saloon, has just received on the steamer *Ajax* a large assortment of fine cigars.

Captains and pilots will note the fact that Peter Wilhelm has fitted up two rooms for their especial use at the Fountain, corner Ash and First streets. English papers on file, and everything cosy.

It is a matter of surprise how uniform in quality the Nob e Whisky runs, which is explained by the fact that none is shipped from the distillery warehouse less than 5 years old.—*Wine Circular.*

W. L. ADAMS, M. D., A. M., LL. D., corner of First and Salmon streets, is curing the most inveterate chronic diseases of all kinds at a low price, by medicated, electric lightning cream baths, and by combining the German and French with the American improved practice, mixed with a little common sense. His treatment is, in the main, entirely original, and works almost miracles, as his numerous patients will attest. Is extraordinarily successful in treating female complaints.

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DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

The copartnership existing between Joe Oppenheimer and Henry Ackerman, better known as Ackerman's Dollar Store, will be dissolved January 1, 1877. It is imperatively necessary that our stock be disposed of before that time. It being a very large and complete one, comprising in the main elegant Holiday Presents, Crockery, Glass and Fine Plated Ware, it will be readily seen that great sacrifices must be made to dispose of it all within the time set.

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RETURNED HOME.

Dr. Halpruner has returned to the city from a professional trip up the valley. Persons suffering with any complaints of the feet can have the same treated on or about the 4th or 5th inst. The Doctor will have his office finished in Ainsly & Hegey's new building, 105 First street.

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OREGON.

H. Zelinsky, of Eastport, was thrown from his horse at Breckman's on the 1st, and had his leg broken.

The bulk of the wheat in the Corvallis warehouses has been all sold at prices ranging from 66 to 80 cents per bushel.

The interior of the Utter mine is said to be on fire, and Mr. Grow has been for some days engaged in efforts to extinguish it.

The wheat stored in the Booneville warehouse, above Corvallis, is nearly all sold, and averaged about 80 cents per bushel.

The amount of witness fees claimed in the case of the State vs M. Emerick, in Umatilla, for killing Gordon, amounted to $885 20.

"Coquille Ben" has begun a second term in the penitentiary for five years. He goes up this time for stealing a horse in Benton county.

Following are the officers elect for Sheridan Lodge, No. 64, F. & A. M.: P. M. Scroggins, W. M.; H. W. Lamson, S. W.; R. G. Dyer, J. W.; L. Mayer, T.; H. Z. Foster, S.; J. T. Stanfield, T.

The annual meeting of the Clackamas county Bible Society will be held at the Congregational church next Sunday evening. Rev. Mr. Hetzel will preach a sermon suitable for the occasion.

The farmers of Benton county are very busy plowing and sowing winter wheat. A large area of wheat will be sown within the next week or two, should the weather remain as it is at present.

The Benton *Democrat* is mistaken in saying that the "Governor heard evidence and arguments on both sides" in the Watts case. He heard no evidence at all and arguments only on the Democratic side.

John Orth picked a piece of gold weighing about a dollar out of one of the walls of his brick building, in Jacksonville, where it was doubtless inadvertantly placed by the bricklayer, being mixed with the mortar.

More amalgamating pans have been added to the Esther mill on Grave creek. These pans will permit the saving of all the gold and silver in the ore reduced by the mill, and will prove a great source of profit to the stockholders.

The *Enterprise* says: A young man named Shoat, living near Needy, in Clackamas county, has broken out with smallpox, and ten or fifteen persons have been exposed. The exposed persons have been placed in quarantine.

It is certain that the smallpox in a more or less virulent form is prevalent through the various portions of the State, and it behooves every one to prepare to stand it off. Vaccination is a good preventive and no one should neglect it.

The survey of the Umatilla reservation line has been completed by Deputy U. S. Surveyor Simmons. The line was incorrect, and as been so charged by the new survey that the houses in Pendleton supposed to be on the reservation have been thrown outside the line.

Wm. Eaton was robbed at Rock Point, Jackson county, one night last week, after he had retired. The thief cut off his pocket containing expense money for three teams to Roseburg and back, amounting to about $ in the most scientific manner and without awakening him.

The following officers of Lafayette Lodge, F. & A. M., were elected last Friday evening to serve the ensuing year: H. R. Little, W. M.; E. P. Power, S. W.; R. R. Daniel, J. W.; W. R. Derby, T.; G. O. Robinson, S.; Frank Martin, T. They will be installed on the 27th inst., at 7 P. M., in the presence of Masons and their families and invited guests.

The Corvallis *Gazette* has taken a new departure—having been merged into a corporation. The articles of incorporation are signed by Dr. B. Lee, James A. Yantis, and W. B. Carter, and have been duly filed according to law. The capital stock of the company is fixed at $2,000, in shares of $50 each. The new company will take full control on the 1st of January, 1877.

From the Oregon City *Enterprise*: Davis returned last week from the celebrated silver mud springs in Wasco county. From all that we could learn from the gentleman, we should judge that he is not very favorably impressed with the bonanza. He brought six lots of this mud to be assayed by Mr. Lurney, and two lots of which have been assayed contain not a trace of silver, and the rest will probably give the same result. As we stated before, the ore assayed by Mr. Hurley last week, was furnished by the owners of the bonanza.

Tom Mi arkey, on Wednesday, in attempting to cross the Umatilla river at Pendleton, just below the bridge, met with a serious loss. The river was swollen considerably from the late rains, and besides the bottom at the ford was washed out very much, making the water nearly swimming deep for his mules. The off-wheel mule, known by all teamsters on the road as "Polly," being one of the best in the county and worth $275, got off her feet, sank and was drowned. The trail wagon was tipped over by the strong current and a few sacks of oats and other personal property washed away. Tom's loss was about $300.

The Yamhill *Reporter* says: At a meeting of the board of directors of the Yamhill and Cape Lookout Wagon Company, on the 2d inst., it was decided to complete this road at the earliest possible time, and have it in good traveling condition by next summer. This road will open a new region to settlers in the Nestucca country and the great fishing lands on that stream, making them easy of access for the outside world. The road also passes through the greatest blackberry region on the Coast Range, and parties already on it are making quite a stake from this source and will next summer. This, together with the fishing advantages offered by the famous trout stream, and easy access, to Tillamook Bay, will make it the best route for excursionists and pleasure seekers that there is in Oregon the coming summer.

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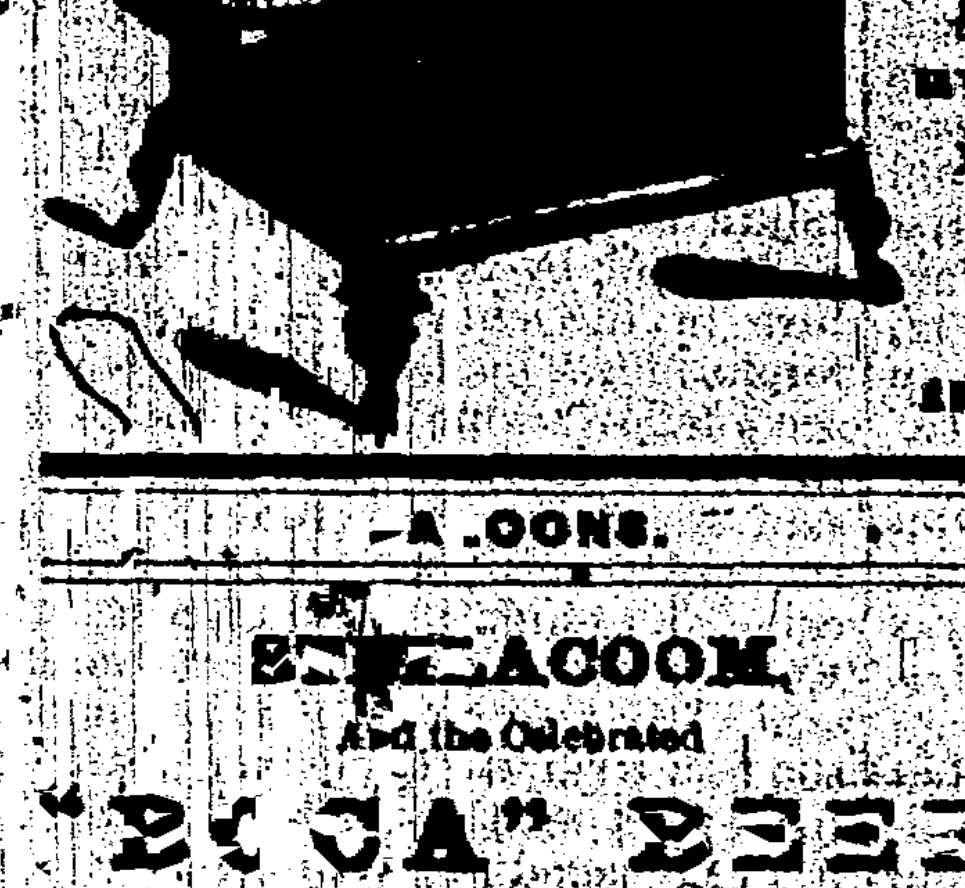

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